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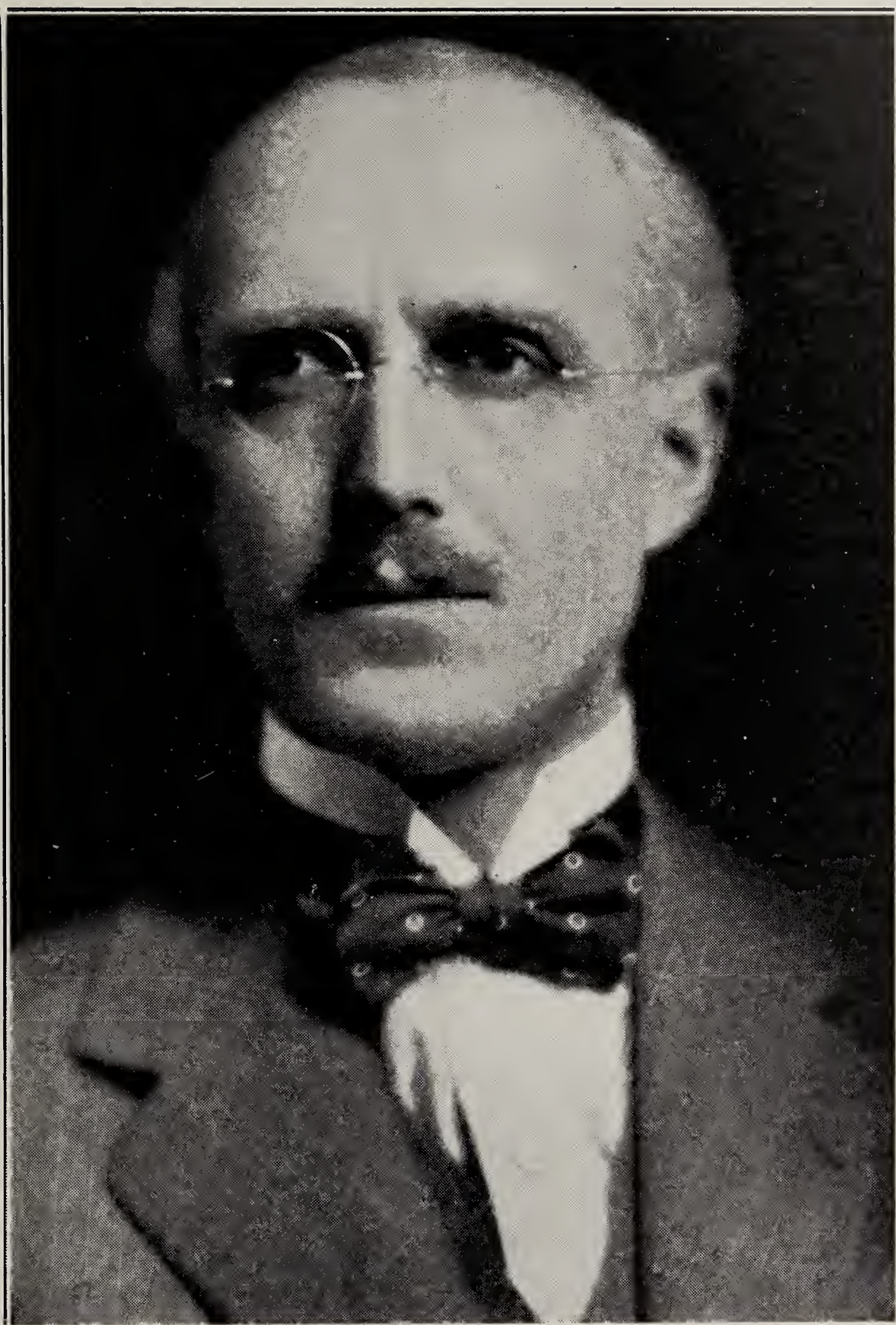
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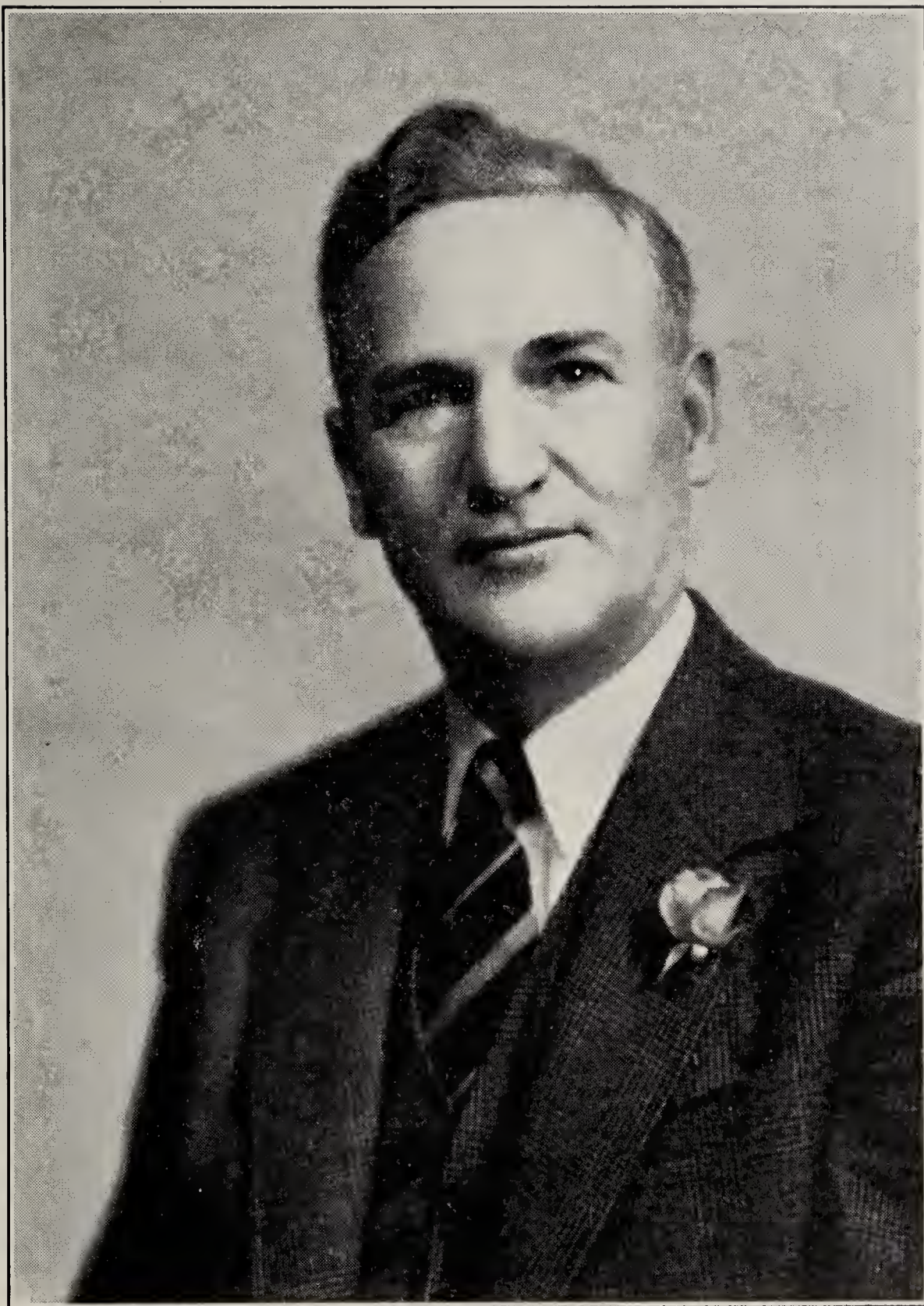
M. P. BRO. DOUGLAS G. McILWRAITH, 33°
Sovereign Grand Commander



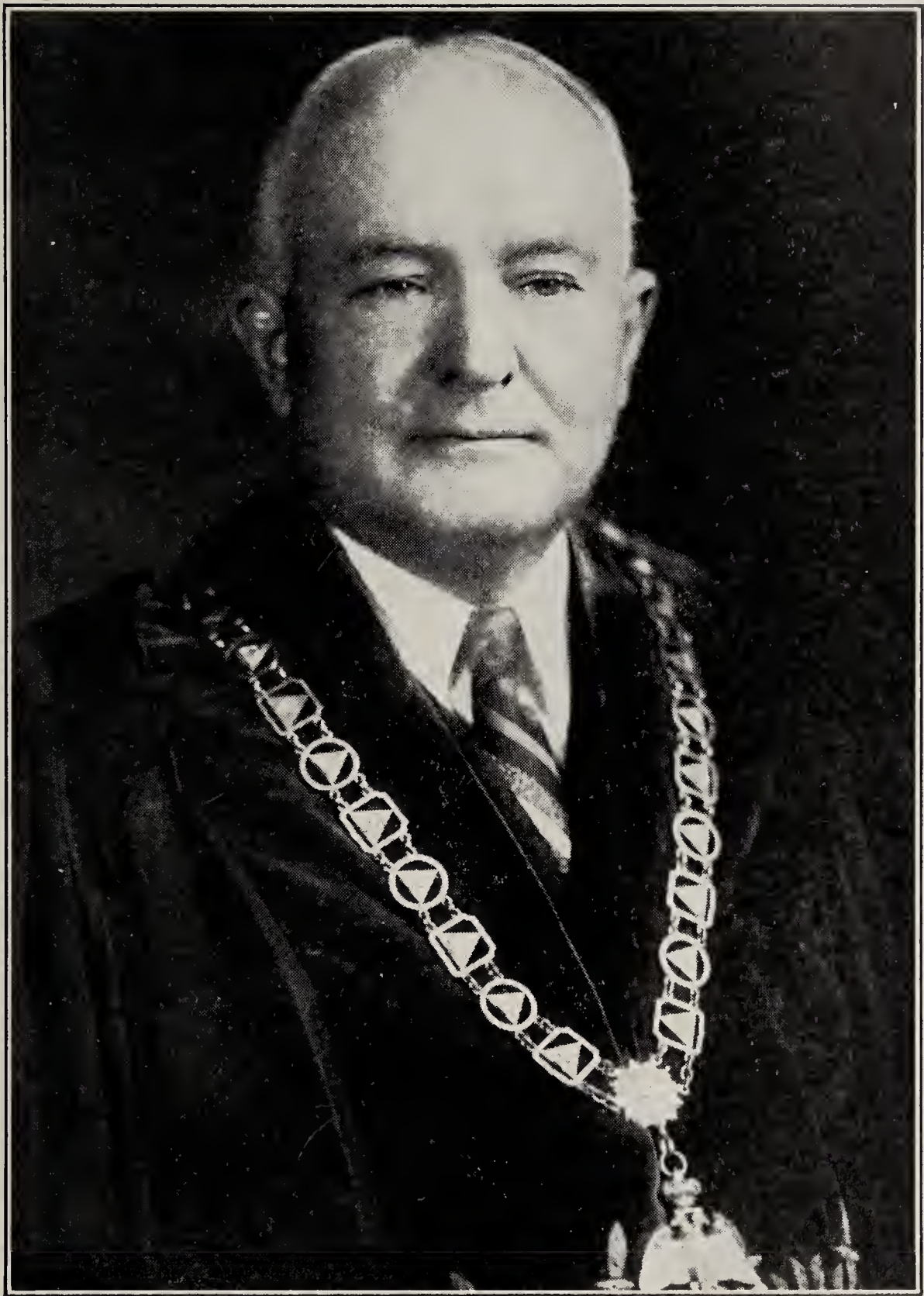
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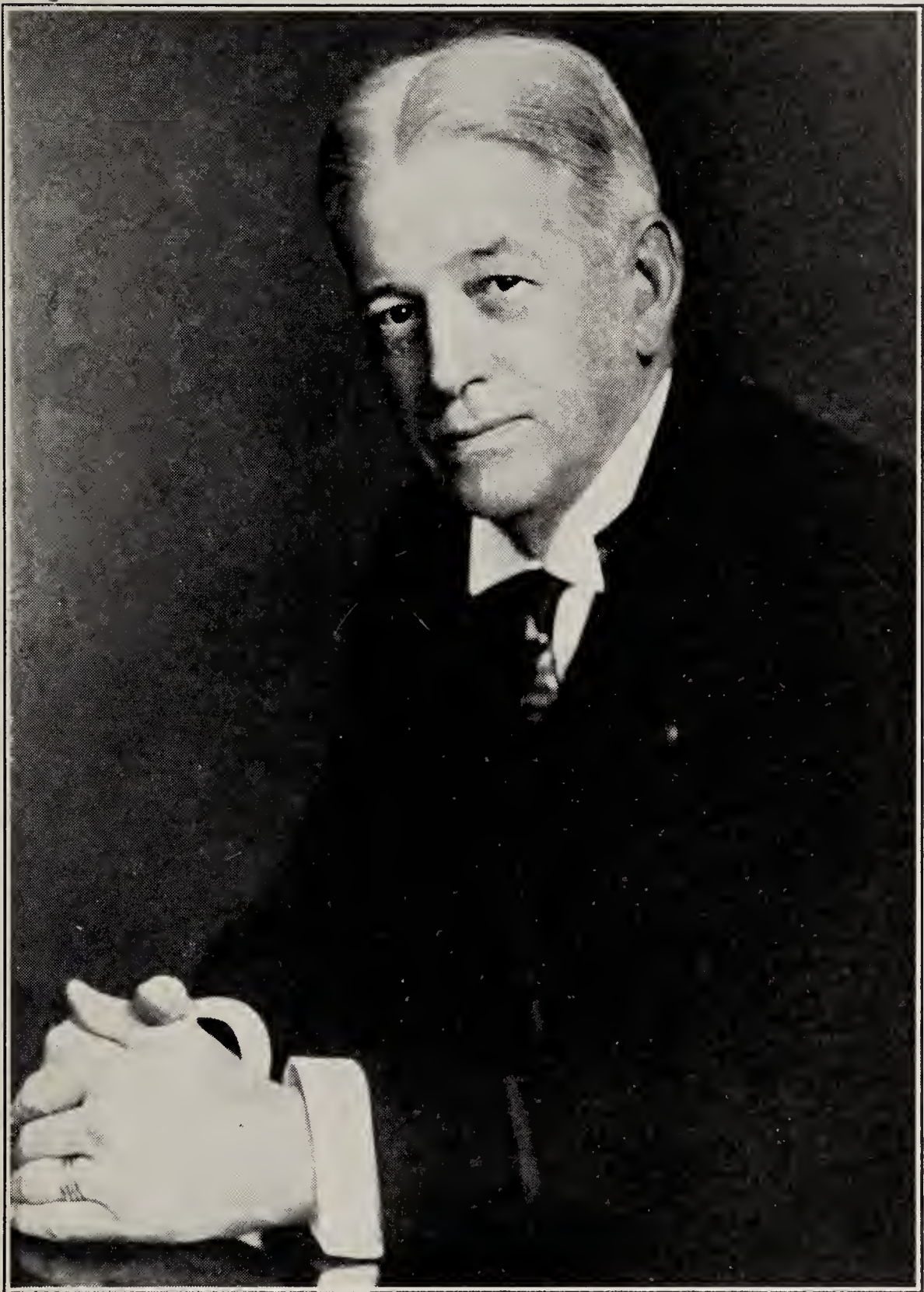
P. M. BRO. GEORGE H. ROSS, 33°
Lieut. Grand Commander



ILL. · BRO. · JAMES A. SIMPSON, 33°
Illustrious Deputy for Ontario



M. P. BRO. JOHN H. COWLES
Sovereign Grand Commander
Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A.



M.: P.: BRO.: MELVIN M. JOHNSON
Sovereign Grand Commander
Northern Jurisdiction, U.S.A.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
SUPREME COUNCIL
OF

Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-third and Last Degree

OF THE
ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED
SCOTTISH RITE

FOR THE
DOMINION OF CANADA

ANNUAL SESSION
CITY OF HAMILTON, ONTARIO
THE SIXTH AND SEVENTH DAYS
OF OCTOBER,

1942

DOUGLAS G. McILWRAITH, HAMILTON, ONTARIO
M.°. P.°. Sovereign Grand Commander

JAMES A. HENDERSON, 33°, HAMILTON, ONTARIO,
Grand Secretary-General, H.°. E.°.

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The Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada, assembled in Annual Session in the Scottish Rite Cathedral in the City of Hamilton, Province of Ontario, the sixth day of October, 1942, corresponding to the 25th day of the Hebrew month Tishri, A. . . H. . . 5703.

Owing to the lamented death of Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, John A. Rowland, and the indisposition of the Past Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, William Hugh Wardrope, Ill. . . Bro. . . James Henry Winfield, as Acting Sovereign Grand Commander, opened the Supreme Council in full ceremonial form, assisted by the Officers of the Council, at 10.25 A.M., and declared the Supreme Council duly opened in General Session.

The Grand Secretary-General called the roll, and the following were present and answered to their names:—

OFFICERS

James H. Winfield, Ill.'. Grand Chancellor, acting as Sovereign Grand Commander.
 Douglas G. McIlwraith, Ill.'. Deputy for Ontario, as Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander.
 John A. Dobbie, Ill.'. Grand Marshal.
 Oliver E. Stanton, Ill.'. Deputy for Quebec.
 Reginald F. Wright, Ill.'. Deputy for New Brunswick.
 C. Laurie Ells, Ill.'. Deputy for Nova Scotia and P. E. I.
 James Mackie, Ill.'. Deputy for Manitoba.
 Harry H. Watson, Ill.'. Deputy for British Columbia.
 Edward A. Braithwaite, Ill.'. Deputy for Alberta.
 Douglas Fraser, Ill.'. Deputy for Saskatchewan.
 James A. Henderson, Ill.'. Grand Secretary-General, H.'. E'.
 Charles S. Hamilton, Ill.'. Grand Treasurer-General, H.'. E'.
 Most Rev. Derwyn T. Owen, Ill.'. Grand Prior, as Grand Chancellor.
 William J. Major, Ill.'. Grand Master of Ceremonies.
 Harold T. Malcolmson, Ill.'. Grand Standard Bearer.
 Jabez Miller, Ill.'. Grand Captain of the Guard.

WITH THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL
ACTIVE MEMBERS

Lewis Frederick Riggs	John McKnight
Murdoch James Macleod	Francis James Burd
Frank Armitage Copus	Charles Fenson Sanford
George Henry Ross	Thomas Kingsmill Wade
Stuart Harman Lees	

ALSO, THE FOLLOWING
HONOURARY INSPECTORS-GENERAL

Peter William Dumas Brodrick	Alexander Jaffray
John Frederick Reid	John James Davis
Donald Clark	Percy Thomas Ward
Hubert Carroll McBride	Rt. Rev. L. W. B. Broughall
Charles Edward Wheeler	Richard Thomas Stanley
Harrip Charles Tugwell	Thomas Lees
Robinson T. Orr	William Field
Albert Philip Louis Goering	John Ewen Riddell, Jr.
James Clark MacGregor	Cecil Morden Dent
Walter Hall Russell	Frederick Dixon Hubbell
Richard Evans Davis	William McKenzie Messer
Dufferin Turnbull Williamson	William James Dunlop

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

Hanlan Robinson
 Ernest Moule
 William John Gibson
 Alexander Coulson Adams
 Henry Stark Tapscott
 Norman Duncan Buchanan
 Archibald Henry McQuarrie
 Howard Brown Moore
 Arthur Disraeli Lumsden
 Francis William Sprules
 Rev. Charles Elmer Kenny
 Alexander George Storie
 Arthur Beaton Whytock
 Thomas Worthington Jull
 William Bickle Scace
 Edward Jenner McCleery
 George Nelson Jackson
 Alexander Hamilton McKee
 James Wellington White
 Herman Samuel King
 Frederick Royden Bennetto
 Wm. Merton Overton Lohead
 Axel Herbert Knutson
 James Chisholm
 Elliott Cedric Alvin Crawford

Oscar Heuman King
 Ralph Crossley Ripley
 James Alexander Simpson
 William Carswell
 William Henry Rath
 Augustin Vila
 Hugh MacDonald Dunlop
 Edwin Campbell Scythes
 Nicholas Flood Davin Kelley
 George Frederick Kingsmill
 Alexander Hurry
 Charles Herbert Cunningham
 William Henry Cooper
 Clarence McLeod Pitts
 Ernest Burdette Thompson
 George James Russell Stephens
 David Bertram Nugent
 Harry Minchinton
 Samuel Vila
 Dr. Frank Avery Millard
 Charles Rosendale Brown
 William Henry Hedges
 Dr. Horace Fawcett Goodfellow
 G. Mel. Brock

On motion, the minutes of the Annual Session of 1941, having been printed and distributed to the members, were taken as read and confirmed.

Expressions of regret at inability to attend the Sessions of Supreme Council were received from the following members in Canada, as well as from other Jurisdictions:—

ACTIVE MEMBERS

Alexander McDougall
 William H. Wardrope

Arthur B. Wood
 Walter N. Duff

HONOURARY MEMBERS, 33°

Llewellyn F. Stephens
 J. H. W. S. Kemmis
 William S. Park
 Frank S. McKee

Charles R. Sayer
 Niven M. Jackson
 C. H. Crandon
 George Moore

SUPREME COUNCIL

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Karl B. Conger
Robert B. Pow
W. Mayne McCombe
Percival J. Lee
J. L. McKinnon
Alfred H. Baker
Dr. A. E. Santo
Rev. P. T. Pilkey
J. H. G. Russell
Rev. Dr. G. A. Woodside
W. M. Peel
E. A. Olver

Reginald V. Harris
James MacMurray
Alexander R. Smith
James C. Jones
Dr. Benjamin F. Nott
W. A. Drummond
Dr. L. E. Borden
Laughlin M. MacKinnon
J. Clark Reilly
D. C. Patmore
John A. McRae

ENGLAND, WALES, ETC.

Rt. Hon. The Earl of Donoughmore, Sovereign Grand Commander
Trevor Jocelyn Matthews, Grand Treasurer-General

SCOTLAND

Rt. Hon. The Earl of Elgin and Kincardine

IRELAND

Hon. Justice Gerald FitzGibbon, Raymond F. Brooke,
Sovereign Grand Commander Grand Secretary-General

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

James W. Collins
Frank C. Patton
James C. Jones
Rupert F. Asplund
Rufus O. Renfrew
Sanford G. Donaldson
Robert S. Crump
C. F. Kleinknecht

Gen. Charles P. Summerall
Charles Nelson
Charles A. McAlister
Leslie M. Scott
Mark I. Forkner
Charles A. Moffett
William S. McCrea
Delbert T. Robinson

NORTHERN JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

Allan M. Wilson
Frederic E. Everett
Arthur D. Prince
Andrew D. Agnew
Samuel H. Baynard, Jr.

Henry L. Ballou
Gaylard M. Leslie
McIllyar H. Lichliter
Judge George E. Bushnell

PROCEEDINGS OF THE
FOREIGN JURISDICTIONS

G. Hermogenes del Canto A.
Sovereign Grand Commander

Manuel J. Ahumada N.
Grand Secretary-General

} Republic of Chile.

Dr. Luis Gaitan,
Sovereign Grand Commander, Central America.

Antonio Arceo,
Mexico.

Victoriano Endara A.
Sovereign Grand Commander

Hector Valdes,
Ten: Grand Commander

} Republic of Panama.

Fabian Onsari, 33°
Sovereign Grand Commander

Luis San Luis, 33°
Gr. Canc. Secr. General

} Republic of Argentina.

Supreme Council then opened in the Fourteenth Degree, and the following members of subordinate bodies were admitted:—

John Anguish, 32°
Ernst C. Brisco, 32°
J. T. Broadbent, 32°
Dr. S. S. Crouch, 32°
R. J. A. Curry, 32°
H. J. H. Deedman, 32°
Z. R. Fulkerson, 32°
James W. Hamilton, 32°
F. L. Henderson, 32°
J. A. Jacklin, 32°
William A. Kennedy, 32°
William A. Laidlaw, 32°
Herbert W. Linton, 32°

Robert Lyttle, 32°
Hugh A. Marquis, 32°
C. F. Marshall, 32°
Thomas McCann, 32°
J. H. Moore, 32°
Herbert Naylor, 32°
A. F. Payne, 32°
John C. Reid, 32°
W. J. Shaw, 32°
W. R. Simpson, 32°
K. R. Smith, 32°
James V. Trebell, 32°
Francis Vila, 32°

Ernest G. Wray, 32°	D. L. McIntyre, 32°
Richard C. Berkinshaw, 32°	Dr. J. H. Mullin, 32°
George T. Britton, 32°	William F. Newman, 32°
Ernest F. Clarke, 32°	A. Lorne Reid, 32°
John H. Cuddie, 32°	W. Bruce Riddell, 32°
Fred M. Darkie, 32°	B. L. Simpson, 32°
Glenn L. Facey, 32°	C. E. Sisson, 32°
James H. Gibson, 32°	J. L. Stewart, 32°
Charles J. Harvey, 32°	W. E. Tregenza, 32°
Charles E. Higginbottom, 32°	J. A. Wardell, 32°
J. A. Kaplansky, 32°	Ralph H. Rutherford, 30°
Hartley R. Knowles, 32°	Harvey McCulloch, 30°
W. H. Lindsay, 32°	Herbert A. Main, 18°
Albert E. Lock, 32°	Charles F. Rogers, 18°
C. S. Mallett, 32°	W. E. Knapman, 18°
B. R. Marsales, 32°	George Paton, 18°
Charles H. Martin, 32°	Harry D. Thomas, 14°

Ill.°. Bro.°. Winfield announced that Mrs. D. G. McIlwraith had met with a serious accident this morning, which would prevent her taking her part in entertaining the visiting ladies. Flowers were ordered sent, expressing the sympathy of Supreme Council.

Ill.°. Bro.°. Peter William Dumas Brodrick, 33°, the oldest living Honourary Inspector-General 33°, was present, and was introduced to Supreme Council and received with a tribute of love and respect by the members present.

Ill.°. Bro.°. W. J. Major, on behalf of the Supreme Council of Central America, and Ill.°. Bro.°. John McKnight, on behalf of the Supreme Council of Chile, and acting as Grand Representatives of these Supreme Councils near the Supreme Council of Canada, presented regrets that on account of present world conditions these Supreme Councils could not be represented by any of their officers in person, but wished for us a harmonious and successful Session.

The Grand Secretary-General announced receipt of a letter from the Grand Chancellor of the Supreme Council of Cuba expressing the hope that Ill.°. Bro.°. Luis F. Reinhardt, 33°, Grand Master of Ceremonies of that Supreme Council, would be with us as their representative, but to our regret he was unavoidably prevented from being present.

The Acting Sovereign Grand Commander deputed Ill.°. Bro.°. F. A. Copus, 33°, to introduce M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Melvin M. Johnson, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States of America, and Ill.°. Bro.°. Douglas G. McIlwraith, 33°, to introduce M.°. P.°. Bro.°. John H. Cowles, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America.

Ill.°. Bro.°. Dr. D. G. McIlwraith introduced a deputation from the Hamilton Scottish Rite Bodies, in the persons of:—

Ill.°. Bro.°. Hugh M. Dunlop, 33°, Commander-in-Chief of Moore Sovereign Consistory;

Ill.°. Bro.°. Dr. J. A. Simpson, 33°, 1st Lieut. Commander, Moore Sovereign Consistory;

Ill.°. Bro.°. C. H. Cunningham, 33°, 2nd Lieut. Commander, Moore Sovereign Consistory;

Ill.°. Bro.°. J. Harry Moore, 32°, M.°. W.°. S.°, Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix;

Ill.°. Bro.°. B. R. Marsales, 32°, First General, Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix;

Ill.°. Bro.°. C. F. Marshall, 32°, Second General, Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix;

Ill.°. Bro.°. George T. Britton, 32°, T.°. P.°. G.°. M.°, Murton Lodge of Perfection;

Ill.°. Bro.°. William A. Kennedy, 32°, Grand Senior Warden, Murton Lodge of Perfection;

Ill.°. Bro.°. Cecil M. Dent, 33°, Acting Grand Junior Warden, Murton Lodge of Perfection.

Ill.°. Bro.°. H. M. Dunlop, 33°, speaking on behalf of the Hamilton Bodies, replied as follows:—

“Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander and Members of Supreme Council:—

It gives me very great pleasure as representative of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in Ontario, and on their behalf, to welcome you to this Annual Session of the Supreme Council.

It is perhaps interesting to recall that Hamilton has not been honoured by your presence since 1927 — 15 years ago; when among those present were such distinguished brethren as:

Alfred F. Webster, Sovereign Grand Commander;
W. H. Ballard, Grand Secretary-General;
E. T. Malone, Grand Treasurer-General;
W. M. Logan, Sovereign Grand Inspector-General;
Sir John Gibson, Past M.°. P.°. Sovereign Grand
Commander;
Frederick J. Howell, P.°. Lieut. Grand Commander;

all now taken from among us.

It is an added pleasure to welcome two very illustrious Masons from the United States, in the persons of M.°. P.°. Bro.°. John H. Cowles, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction; and M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Melvin M. Johnson, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Jurisdiction; not only in their Masonic capacity, but as citizens of our great Ally engaged with us in the struggle for the preservation of our democratic way of life.

We hope that you will enjoy your visit, and rest assured our memories of it will be long cherished."

These Illustrious Brethren were cordially received by the Acting Sovereign Grand Commander and were invited to take seats of honour in the East.

Ill.°. Bro.°. Stuart H. Lees, 33°, then introduced His Worship, William Morrison, Mayor of the City of Hamilton, who in his usual happy manner extended a cordial welcome to the visiting members of Supreme Council and their ladies.

Ill.°. Bro.°. J. H. Winfield then read the Allocution of the Past Sovereign Grand Commander, M.°. P.°. Bro.°. William Hugh Wardrope, as follows:

THE ALLOCUTION OF THE SOVEREIGN
GRAND COMMANDER

Hamilton, Ontario, October 6th, 1942.

Peers and Brethren :

Upon the occasion of your assembling for the 68th Annual Session of the Supreme Council, it becomes my duty, as Past Sovereign Grand Commander, and head of the Order for the time being, to extend a most cordial and wholly fraternal welcome to the Valley of Hamilton. Fifteen years have passed since last we met within these walls, and the whole membership of the Rite, not only in this Valley but in the Province of Ontario, hail with delight the opportunity of receiving and doing honour to the elder brethren of the Order.

It is much to be hoped that the arrangements which have been made for your reception, your comfort, your convenience and the necessary facilities for your occasional relaxation from the duties of this Session will deserve your entire satisfaction and contribute to the happiness of your brief visit.

My personal pleasure at your presence is tempered by my sincere regret that I am unable to appear before you to utter these words of welcome, to take my former part in your deliberations, and to enjoy to the full the fraternal intercourse with my brethren which has meant so much to me in by-gone years. The infirmities of age have taken heavy toll of my physical powers during the past year and a half, and I am compelled to assent, albeit with reluctance, to the considered judgment of my medical advisers that I must not make the attempt to attend this meeting.

You assemble in strange and unprecedented circumstances. For the second year in succession the Sovereign Grand Commander is absent from his place. Last year, when you met in Regina, M. P. Bro. Rowland sent you his message from a hospital bed. He hoped, as did we all, that prolonged rest and surcease from official duties and business cares would restore him to us with renewed physical and mental capacities, but alas! it was not to be; and, after a year of gradually waning powers, he fell quietly asleep on April 18th, to awake among the immortals, leaving to his brethren a thousand fragrant memories to assuage their poignant grief.

But the hand of death had already struck heavily upon the official family. On December 20th the Lieut. Grand Commander, P.'.Bro.'.Alexander F. C. Ross, the kindly, amiable, courteous gentleman, had ended his weary weeks of suffering and had passed within the Veil.

And hardly had the echoes of a most happy and successful Session at Regina died away, when the busy hands and the active brain of the Deputy for the Province of Saskatchewan were stilled forever. Those who had been allowed to visit Ill.'.Bro.'.Stewart Burton last October had come away grieved to the heart by the conviction that they would see him no more, a conviction sadly realized on receipt of the news of his death on December 30th, 1941.

The Honourary Members of Supreme Council are the poorer for the loss of Illustrious Brothers

Edward Wackerhagen Hitchcock, 33°, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.;

Frederick Hamilton Rutherford, 33°, Hamilton, Ont.;

James Hastie Cowan, 33°, Galt, Ont.;

Harry Herbert Campkin, 33°, Regina, Sask.;

Andrew McCreight Creery, 33°, Vancouver, B.C.

While we mourn the loss of our distinguished and dearly beloved brethren and offer our sincere sympathy to the members of their families and to the Bodies of the Rite so sorely bereaved, we thank our Heavenly Father for their lives of service and pray for grace to follow their excellent examples.

Suitable memorial pages have been prepared for inclusion in the printed Proceedings of this Annual Session.

The Supreme Council now faces the heavy responsibility of filling the vacancies in its official tableau. In the discharge of this important duty let it be remembered that fitness for office is paramount in the selection of those to whom the destinies of Scottish Rite Freemasonry in Canada are to be entrusted for the trying years that lie ahead. The skies are overcast and the way is long and toilsome. It is not too much to demand of those who are chosen as leaders that they shall bring to their tasks experience, energy, judgment, resolution, unimpaired physical and mental powers and the spirit of self-

sacrifice. The older generation is passing away and the whole world is convulsed by travail heretofore unparalleled in history.

As in war, so in peace, the duties of the era of reconstruction must be undertaken by those who have not yet passed the meridian of useful life.

The Order of Freemasons must have great and important tasks in the years to come, and its rulers must be fit and able for the duties of leadership, and in all respects worthy of the confidence and loyal support of their brethren.

DEATHS IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS

ENGLAND, WALES, ETC. :—

H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, K.G.,
Etc., Etc.

H.R.H. The Duke of Kent, K.G., Etc.

John C. F. Tower, 33°, Grand Secretary-General.

IRELAND :—

Ill.°.Bro.°.William Edward Thrift, Grand Chancellor.

AMERICA, SOUTHERN JURISDICTION :—

Ill.°.Bro.°.Walter Calvin Temple.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Francis Vinsonhaler.

AMERICA, NORTHERN JURISDICTION :—

Ill.°.Bro.°.William Henry Harrison Chamberlin.

CENTRAL AMERICA :—

Ill.°.Bro.°.Evaristo Matute Zuniga.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Edmundo A. Osborne.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Licenciado Pablo Rabasso Ferrar.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Federico Gongora Herrera.

CUBA :—

Ill.°.Bro.°.Alfredo Henriod.

EGYPT :—

M.°.P.°.Bro.°.Ali Shawki Pasha — Sovereign Grand
Commander.

MEXICO :—

M. . P. . Bro. . William L. Vail, Past Sovereign Grand
Commander.

Ill. . Bro. . Dr. H. A. Monday.

Ill. . Bro. . Tomas E. Ramos — Grand Secretary-General.

PANAMA :—

Ill. . Bro. . Georgetti Romanus Brouwer, Grand Minister
of State.

TABULATION OF MEMBERSHIP

LODGES OF PERFECTION

1941		12,543
Admitted	348	
Affiliated	12	
Restored	13	
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	373	
Died	279	
Withdrawn	45	
Suspended	53	
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	377	
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		4 loss
1942		<hr/>
		12,539
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CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

1941		8,063
Admitted	180	
Affiliated	6	
Restored	10	
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	196	
Died	192	
Withdrawn	38	
Suspended	33	
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	263	
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		67 loss
1942		<hr/>
		7,996
		<hr/>

CONSISTORIES

1941		4,846
Admitted	161	
Affiliated	6	
Restored	2	
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	169	
Died	146	
Withdrawn	15	
Suspended	16	
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	177	
	<hr/>	8 loss
1942		<hr/>
		4,838
		<hr/>

BY-LAWS APPROVED

by the late M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander, John A. Rowland:—

Quebec Lodge of Perfection.
 Quebec Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix.
 Kootenay Lodge of Perfection.
 Murray Sovereign Chapter of Rose Choix.

BENEVOLENCE

During the past three years there has been placed at the disposal of the Sovereign Grand Commander by Supreme Council a total amount of \$35,000.00 to be expended in charitable work connected with various war services. Up to the present time the following donations have been made:

Appropriations

1939	\$ 10,000.00	
1940	10,000.00	
1941	15,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 35,000.00

Forwarded

Canadian Red Cross	\$ 10,500.00	
Salvation Army	750.00	
Y. M. C. A.	1,000.00	
Lord Mayor's Fund	11,175.00	
London Foot Hospital	2,235.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 25,660.00

Appropriated but not forwarded	\$ 9,340.00
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thus leaving an unexpended balance of \$9,340.00.

No words of mine are necessary to assure you of the gratitude of our brethren overseas. I hope the Grand Secretary-General will avail himself of an early opportunity of reading to Supreme Council some of the letters received by him in acknowledgement of our gifts. But the need is still pressing and calls for our whole-hearted generosity. I, therefore, recommend for the consideration of the Standing Committee on Audit and Finance the disposal of the unexpended portion of the appropriation together with such further sum as Supreme Council may designate.

During the year M.:P.:Bro.: John H. Cowles drew our attention to an arrangement between the Southern and Northern Jurisdictions whereby the Sovereign Grand Commanders were relieved of the burden of correspondence upon certain specified subjects, and he suggested that the arrangement might be extended to include the Supreme Council of the Dominion of Canada. The Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Jurisdiction having agreed to this, I gave the matter consideration and recommend to Supreme Council that we accept the procedure as outlined in the following correspondence, such as is now in operation between our two sister Jurisdictions:

"Dear Bro.: Henderson:

"Your letter of May 22nd is acknowledged.

"Section 31, Article 5, page 16 of our 1937 Statutes authorizes that correspondence between the Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General, Active Members and Deputies of our Supreme Council with the Active Members and Deputies of the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada may be conducted directly between them without reference to the office of the Grand Commander of our Jurisdiction. This applies to—

"(A) Waivers of jurisdiction;

"(B) The conferring of the degrees of the Rite by courtesy;

"(C) Inquiries relative to Masonic standing;

"(D) Matters of fraternal assistance;

"(E) Burial of the Dead.

"I should be pleased to have you send me the names and addresses of your Active Members and Deputies, and I will publish them in the New Age Magazine, the same as we do those of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, and will also place

each one of them on the mailing list of our New Age Magazine, where they can find the names and addresses of all our Active Members and Deputies."

"(Signed) JOHN H. COWLES,

"Sovereign Grand Commander,
"Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A.

"Ill. and Dear Bro. Henderson:

"In accordance with the suggestion recently made to me, and with the practice between the Southern and Northern Jurisdictions of the United States, I am very happy to agree, in order to facilitate matters of comity between your Jurisdiction and ours, that correspondence relating—

- "(A) To waivers of jurisdiction;
- "(B) To the conferring of degrees of the Rite by courtesy;
- "(C) To inquiries relative to Masonic standing;
- "(D) To matters of fraternal assistance;
- "(E) To burial of the Dead;

need not be conducted directly between the offices of the Grand Commanders of our two Jurisdictions but may be had between the respective Deputies. To that end, we shall endeavour to keep you informed as to the names and addresses of the Deputies of our several Districts and shall be glad to have you furnish the same information as to your Deputies which we shall then communicate to ours.

"Sincerely and fraternally,

"(Signed) MELVIN M. JOHNSON,

"Sovereign Grand Commander."

I forbear to speak of the war, which must occupy our thoughts as it has changed our lives.

And yet how little we have suffered in comparison with those to whom have been denied life and liberty, political and religious freedom, and all that men, through suffering, have learned to hold dear. Any small self-denial of ours, any curtailment of luxury or material comfort, is not worthy of mention beside the sacrifice of those who have given all. And when the tumult and the shouting have died, and the long and

painful task has begun of rebuilding a new world from the wreckage of the old, may we have no excuse to offer for failure to have done our full part in the past or to undertake heavier burdens in the future for God, our Country, the Order and suffering Humanity.

And now, my brethren, I have done. I leave you to your deliberations, invoking upon you the blessing of the Great Architect of the Universe. May your labours, commenced in order, be conducted in peace and closed in harmony.

Fraternally submitted,

W. H. WARDROPE, 33°,

Past Sovereign Grand Commander.

Ill.°. Bro.°. C. Laurie Ells moved that the Acting Sovereign Grand Commander appoint a Committee to report on the Allocution of the Past Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, and he accordingly appointed Ill.°. Bro.°. Douglas Fraser and Ill.°. Bro.°. Francis J. Burd as such Committee.

The reports of the Grand Secretary-General and Grand Treasurer-General were then presented, as follows:

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY-GENERAL, H. E. . 1941-1942

To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General
of the Thirty-third and Last Degree of the Ancient and
Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of
Canada:

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honour to submit the report of the Grand Secretary-General—

AMOUNTS AND SOURCES OF REVENUE

GENERAL	
Thirty-third Degree conferred	\$ 1,300.00
Interest on Investments	8,649.64
Premiums on Coupons Canada Permanent Trust Co. Agreement matured	92.00
Sundries	5,000.00
	12.00
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	\$15,053.64

CONSISTORIES	
Alberta	\$ 141.00
British Columbia	111.25
Manitoba	218.50
Montreal	175.00
Moore	1,353.40
New Brunswick	49.75
Nova Scotia	70.50
Saskatchewan	183.00
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	\$ 2,302.40

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

Alex. Shepphard	\$ 39.00
Bethesda	166.75
Brandon	22.75
Delta	88.00
Guelph	89.75
Hamilton	689.25
Harington	42.50
Hochelaga	112.25
Keith	74.75
London	130.50
Mizpah	116.25
Murray	128.25
Nanna Bijou	127.50
North Bay	41.00
Peterborough	71.25
Quebec	22.50
Regina	86.50
Rose of Sharon	70.00
Saskatoon	33.00
Sault Ste. Marie	34.00
Spry	242.00
Toronto	263.75
Vancouver	91.50
Victoria, B.C.	36.50
Windsor	107.75
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	\$ 2,927.25

LODGES OF PERFECTION	
Albert Edward	\$ 28.50
Barrie	331.00
Brandon	35.50
Calgary	123.45
Edmonton	145.50
Elgin	137.00
Hochelaga	158.25
Kingston	86.50
Kootenay	35.25
London	169.25
Moose Jaw	66.75
Murton	1,140.00
North Bay	72.75
Okanagan	51.75
Ottawa	221.75
Peterborough	87.00
Quebec	28.50
Regina	150.75
Royal City	154.50
Saint John	114.50
Saskatoon	72.25
Sault Ste. Marie	45.00
Superior	224.25
Toronto	500.00
Vancouver	131.75
Victoria, B.C.	71.00
Victoria, N.S.	99.75
Windsor	123.75
Winnipeg	208.75
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	\$ 4,814.95

SUMMARY

Thirty-third Degrees	\$ 1,300.00
Interest on Investments	8,649.64
Premium on Coupons Canada Permanent Trust Co. Agreement matured	92.00
Sundries	5,000.00
Consistories	12.00
Chapters of Rose Croix	2,302.40
Lodges of Perfection	2,927.25
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	\$ 25,098.24

Fraternally submitted,
J. A. HENDERSON, 33°,
Grand Sec'y-General, H. E. .
Hamilton, August 31st, 1942.

**REPORT OF THE
GRAND TREASURER-GENERAL, H.E.
YEAR 1941-1942**

To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the Thirty-third and Last Degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:

Illustrious Brethren:—

I submit a statement of receipts and disbursements, as well as the investment account, of the Supreme Council for the year ending 31st of August, 1942.

RECEIPTS

Balance at credit in Canadian Bank of Commerce on September 1, 1941	\$ 8,208.08
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Revenue Account:

Received from Secretary-General	\$ 11,356.60	
Interest on investments	8,649.64	
Premium on coupons	92.00	
	20,098.24	

Investment Account:

Canada Permanent Trust Company agreement matured	5,000.00	
	\$ 33,306.32	

DISBURSEMENTS

Revenue Account:

Donations	\$ 9,970.16	
Rituals	2,186.75	
General expenses, including salaries, rent, insurance, bank exchange on coupons and 5% premium tax on coupons.....	13,511.31	
	25,668.22	
Balance at credit in Canadian Bank of Commerce on August 31, 1942.....	7,650.60	
Less O/S cheques	12.50	
	7,638.10	
	\$ 33,306.32	

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR 1941-1942

Canada Permanent Trust Company, fees	\$	167.61
Deputies' Expenses:		
Douglas Fraser	29 20	
James Mackie	22.00	
Dr. D. G. McIlwraith	289.24	
O. E. Stanton	21.30	
H. H. Watson	80.00	
	<hr/>	441.74
Floral tributes		120.37
Insurance:		
Bonds	37.50	
General	174 03	
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Printing and stationery		1,300.56
Rituals		2,186.75
Sovereign Grand Commander, appropriation for expenses		670.60
Donations:		
Deputy for Ontario, Relief	500.00	
British War Relief	4,470.16	
Canadian Red Cross Society	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	9,970.16
Sundry expenses		136.55
Secretary-General's Office:		
W. H. Davis	2,000.00	
J. A. Henderson	2,000.00	
W. J. Shaw	475.00	
Rent	800.00	
Telephone	112.42	
Petty Cash	150.00	
	<hr/>	5,537.42
Supreme Council:		
Mileage	3 895.60	
Meeting expenses (1941)	719.33	
Meeting expenses (1942)	100.00	
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Treasurer-General:		
Postage	10.00	
Miss B. M. Hawkins, Bookkeeper	200.00	
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		\$ 25,668.22
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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
THE PROPERTY OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL 33°
A. & A. S. RITE FOR THE DOMINION OF CANADA

SECURITIES	Rate	Due	Pur- chased to Yield	Amount of Debentures
Dominion of Canada.....	4½	1957	4½	7,000.00
Dominion of Canada.....	4½	1959	4½	29,000.00
Dominion of Canada.....	3½	1949	3.81	6,000.00
Dominion of Canada.....	3½	1949	3.40	5,000.00
Dominion of Canada.....	3¼	1949	3.30	10,000.00
Dominion of Canada.....	3	1952	3⅛	5,000.00
Dominion of Canada.....	3	1955	3.07	5,000.00
Can. National Railway.....	5	1954	4.90	15,000.00
British Columbia, Prov. of....	4½	1969	4.56	6,000.00
Manitoba, Province of.....	4½	1957	4.86	5,000.00
New Brunswick, Prov. of.....	5½	1950	5.45	1,500.00
New Brunswick, Prov. of.....	4	1948	3.97	5,000.00
Nova Scotia, Prov. of.....	4½	1948	3.55	5,000.00
Nova Scotia, Prov. of.....	3½	1950	3.45	10,000.00
Nova Scotia, Prov. of.....	3½	1949	3.26	5,000.00
Ontario, Province of.....	5	1948	5.17	13,000.00
Ontario, Province of.....	4½	1949	4⅝	17,000.00
Ontario, Province of.....	4	1966	3.65	5,000.00
Ontario, Province of.....	3	1951	3.02	10,000.00
Quebec, Province of.....	3	1951	3.16	5,000.00
Sandwich E., Twp. of.....	¾ of 1%	1944		952.17
Quebec, City of.....	4½	1950	4½	5,000.00
Windsor, City of.....	3¼	1975		4,000.00
Can. Permanent Mtge. Corp.	3½	1944	3½	2,000.00
Can. Permanent Trust Co.....	3½	1943	3½	10,000.00
Landed B'king & Loan Co.....	3½	1945	3½	4,000.00
Toronto Gen. Trusts Corp.....	3½	1942	3½	10,000.00
Toronto Gen. Trusts Corp.....	3½	1945	3½	10,000.00
				\$215,452 17

Total receipts in Revenue Account are practically the same as fifteen years ago and have only varied slightly at any time in the intervening years. While general expenses, amounting to \$13,511.31, exceed the annual average of \$11,262.51 over the same period, they are \$2,675.26 less than last year.

Investments have been reduced \$5,000.00 by repayment at maturity of a Canada Permanent Trust Company Investment Certificate. The proceeds with other available funds were used for charitable donations, details of which appear in the Summary of Disbursements. Revenue from investments shows an average yield of 3.92% on total assets, a very slight decrease from last year.

All of the securities as listed in the attached schedule are deposited in the vaults of the Canada Permanent Trust Company and are under its care as Custodian of the same for Supreme Council.

Fraternally submitted,

C. S. HAMILTON, 33°,

Grand Treasurer-General, H.E.

Toronto, August 31st, 1942.

On motion, these reports were referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

REPORTS OF DEPUTIES

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honour to present my report as Deputy for the Province of Ontario for the year ending June 30th, 1942.

Deaths—Since our last Annual Session Supreme Council has been bereaved of the following members in Ontario:

Active—

M.°. P.°. Bro.°. John Albert Rowland, B.A., K.C., 33°, Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Toronto, died April 18th, 1942.

Honourary—

Ill.°. Bro.°. Edward Wackerhagen Hitchcock, 33°, Sault Ste. Marie, died October 23rd, 1941.

Ill.°. Bro.°. Frederick Hamilton Rutherford, 33°, Hamilton, died November 7th, 1941.

Ill.°. Bro.°. James Hastie Cowan, 33°, Galt, died May 17th, 1942.

Ontario joins in sympathy with Supreme Council in the loss of P.°. Bro.°. Alexander F. C. Ross, 33°, Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander, and of Ill.°. Bro.°. Stewart Coulter Burton, 33°, Deputy for the Province of Saskatchewan; and also with the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the death of M.°. Ex.°. Comp.°. John Morgan Empey, 32°, Grand First Principal Z., a distinguished and well-beloved member of the Provincial Consistory.

While we deplore the removal from our Masonic councils of these Illustrious Brethren, we console ourselves with the reflection that their lives are immortal and their beneficent influences endure beyond the grave.

“To sow that others may reap; to work and plant for those who are to occupy the earth when we are dead; to project our influences far into the future and to live beyond our time; to rule, as kings of thought, over a generation as yet unborn; to bless with the glorious gifts of truth and light and liberty those who will neither know the name of the giver nor care in what grave his unregarded ashes lie — that is the true office of a Mason and the proudest destiny of a man.”

Deaths in Lodges of Perfection total 184, in Chapters of Rose Croix 130, and in Moore Consistory 94.

Official Visits—

During the year I have visited officially the following Valleys in Ontario:

Hamilton—at Fall and Spring Reunions, and to conduct elections and install officers.

London—at the Fall Reunion of the Lodge of Perfection.

North Bay—a special meeting under dispensation for the election and installation of officers of the Lodge of Perfection.

Fort William—upon the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the institution of the Bodies in that Valley.

Windsor—at a most interesting meeting which witnessed the launching of the newly-formed Consistory Club.

Niagara Falls—Annual meeting, with a delightful exchange of international courtesies with our Brethren from the State of New York.

Guelph—Spring Reunion of the Chapter of Rose Croix.

I regret my inability to attend the March Reunion in the City of Ottawa through pressure of other engagements, but, at my request, I was most capably represented by the Grand Secretary-General, with Ill.° Bros.° C. H. Cunningham, 33°, and C. M. Dent, 33°, to whom I am very grateful.

As the senior officer of the Supreme Council in Ontario, I attended the funeral of M.° P.° Bro.° John A. Rowland in Toronto on April 20th, and also that of Ill.° Bro.° James H. Cowan in Galt on May 19th.

Upon the invitation of M. . Ex. . Comp. . Llewellyn F. Stephens, P.G.Z., acting for M. . Ex. . Comp. . John M. Empey, G.Z., absent through illness, I represented the Supreme Council at the eighty-fourth Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter in Niagara Falls, on April 22nd, and discharged a similar office at the eighty-seventh Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, in the City of Toronto, on July 15th last, when I was welcomed most cordially by M. W. Bro. John A. McRae, Grand Master. The pleasure of being present upon both these occasions was enhanced by my official reception at the hands of presiding officers who are distinguished Honourary Members of this Supreme Council.

It would be quite unbecoming to dismiss with cursory mention my visit to the Valley of Fort William. Accompanied by the indefatigable Grand Secretary-General I left Hamilton on the evening of February 23rd, arriving next morning in North Bay where we were met and entertained by the local brethren. We spent the day with them and in the evening, after election and installation in the Lodge of Perfection, held a very interesting round table discussion of their affairs. Leaving North Bay at the unearthly hour of 4 a.m. on the 25th we reached Fort William at midnight and received a royal welcome. During the next afternoon I was privileged to assist in the examination of a class of thirty-six candidates for the Fourteenth Degree, and in the evening the Degree was beautifully conferred under the direction of Ill. . Bro. . A. H. Knutson, 33°. The attendance was large and included the six members of Supreme Council resident in the Valley of Fort William. At the banquet which followed, Ill. . Bro. . Henderson, who was present as the personal representative of the Sovereign Grand Commander, delivered M. . P. . Bro. . Rowland's greetings to the brethren.

We took our departure from our hosts at an early hour in the morning of the 27th, reaching home the following day, tired, but very happy in our experience at the silver jubilee of the institution of the Rite at the Head of the Lakes. The Bodies are splendidly led, well officered, the work of the highest order and the prospect for the future excellent.

Membership—

As will be seen by the appended tables, admissions in Lodges, Chapters and Consistory have increased very largely during the year. The initiations in Lodges of Perfection, 180, and in Chapters

of Rose Croix, 113, are the highest since 1931, and in the Consistory, 81, since 1930. The additions to our membership have not, however, been able to overtake the heavy losses by death, a record total having been reached in the junior Bodies, while the Consistory, with 94 deaths in the year, falls but two short of its record of 96 in 1940. A marked and very gratifying decrease is to be observed in withdrawals and suspensions.

The General State of the Rite in Ontario almost deserves to be described as thoroughly satisfactory. With two exceptions, all the Valleys are doing excellent work, their affairs are wisely and faithfully administered and the members display the highest type of Masonic spirit.

No good purpose would be served by a discussion in this report of the failure of some of our brethren to advance the banner of the Order in their Valleys. Weak and ineffective leadership begets lukewarmness and indifference in the ranks. "Where there is no vision the people perish." Ten years' experience with the twenty-six Bodies of the Rite in the Province of Ontario has proved again and again that success may be wrung from apparent failure through the inspiring example of two or three ardent souls who have fired the enthusiasm of their brethren and gained their whole-hearted co-operation. Surely, at a time like this, when the whole fabric of our civilization is shaken to its foundations, it is not too much to expect of those who have knelt at our altars and imbibed the eternal principles of Scottish Rite Freemasonry that they should stand together more firmly than ever before in their determination to make our Order a powerful agent for good in the difficult days that lie ahead. The urgent demands of war-time economy and the heavy burden of taxation heretofore unknown must be accepted with cheerfulness and uncomplaining resoluteness; yet it must be remembered that, while we fight with the sword in one hand, the trowel in the other is constantly to be employed in the great work of building up the walls of Jerusalem which have fallen down. There must be no slackening of effort in any of the Valleys of our jurisdiction to repair our losses by the enlistment of stout-hearted men of good-will who will gladly assume "new duties and higher obligations" for God, the Order, our country and for suffering humanity.

"To assist, encourage and defend the brethren, to protect the oppressed, right the wronged, raise the fallen, relieve want and distress, enlighten the people, serve the common weal and be fruit-

ful of all good works." Such is at once the definition of Masonic work and its ringing challenge. May we accept it instantly, eagerly and loyally.

Easter Ceremonies have been observed in all Chapters of Rose Croix in the Province, four of which showed an increase over last year's attendance at the Maundy Thursday service and eight an increase on Easter Sunday, the net increase at both services totalling 39. It is still a matter of profound regret to me that these two symbolic feasts, attendance at which is obligatory upon every Sovereign Prince Rose Croix, should attract only 19½ per cent. and 16½ per cent. respectively, of our Chapter membership.

Dispensations have been granted on various occasions, under statutory powers, of which full returns have been made to the Grand Secretary-General.

The unfailing courtesy of the Illustrious Deputy for the Province of Quebec in matters of inter-provincial jurisdiction is gratefully acknowledged.

May I, in closing, express my sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses shown me by my brethren in Ontario during a year whose official labours were rendered somewhat heavier by reason of circumstances which must be known to you all. Especially, must I record my gratitude to the Grand Secretary-General and his willing assistant, Ill. Bro. Shaw, to whom I must have been a veritable "thorn in the flesh" on many occasions, but whose cheerful co-operation has meant so much to me in the discharge of my duties.

Fraternally submitted,

DOUGLAS G. McILWRAITH, 33°,

Deputy for Ontario.

LODGES OF PERFECTION—13

LODGE	1942	1941	Inc.	Dec.	Adm.	Affil.	Rest.	With.	Susp.	Died	
Barrie	1212	1222	.....	10	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	.....
Fort William	383	356	27	.....	36	.....	2	1	.....	8	.....
Guelph	486	484	2	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	3	8	.....
Hamilton	2011	2024	.....	13	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	54	.....
Kingston	272	271	1	.....	5	1	.....	.....	1	4	.....
London	601	605	.....	4	11	.....	.....	2	.....	13	.....
Niagara Falls	360	352	8	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
North Bay	287	288	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Ottawa	792	809	.....	17	7	.....	.....	1	.....	23	.....
Peterborough	252	247	5	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Sault Ste. Marie	144	151	.....	7	3	2	.....	2	5	5	.....
Toronto	1532	1532	.....	.....	30	2	.....	.....	.....	32	.....
Windsor	351	352	.....	1	6	.....	5	3	.....	9	.....
	8683	8693	43	53	180	5	7	9	9	184	.....
		8683		43							
Decrease.....		10		10							

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX—12

CHAPTER	1942	1941	Inc.	Dec.	Adm.	Affil.	Rest.	With.	Susp.	Died
Barrie	834	831	3	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Fort William	266	246	18	.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Guelph	263	264	.....	1	8	.....	.....	.....	3	6
Hamilton	1259	1274	.....	15	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	42
Kingston	170	163	7	.....	7	1	.....	.....	.....	1
London	451	460	.....	9	3	.....	.....	1	.....	11
North Bay	164	165	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Ottawa	477	490	.....	13	4	.....	.....	1	.....	16
Peterborough	153	147	6	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
S. S. Marie	116	124	.....	8	1	.....	1	2	1	7
Toronto	857	864	.....	7	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	23
Windsor	263	264	.....	1	6	.....	5	3	.....	9
	5273	5294	34	55	113	1	6	7	4	130
		5273		34						
Decrease.....		21		21						

MOORE SOVEREIGN CONSISTORY

Membership	1942	1941	Inc.	Dec.	30°	31°	32°	Affil.	Rest.	With.	Susp.	Died
	2886	2898	.....	12	81	83	83	1	.....	.....	.....	94

SUPREME COUNCIL

EASTER CEREMONIES — 1942

CHAPTER	Maundy Thursday		Inc.	Dec.	Easter Sunday		Inc.	Dec.
	1942	1941			1942	1941		
Barrie.....	52	48	4	.....	41	36	5	.....
Fort William.....	104	93	11	.....	86	70	16	.....
Guelph.....	48	57	.....	9	46	33	13	.....
Hamilton.....	193	186	7	.....	115	130	.....	15
Kingston.....	75	80	.....	5	40	35	5	.....
London.....	82	108	.....	26	50	55	.....	5
North Bay.....	26	30	.....	4	19	11	8	.....
Ottawa.....	95	126	.....	31	90	98	.....	8
Peterborough.....	54	65	.....	11	47	45	2	.....
Sault Ste. Marie.....	45	51	.....	6	37	27	10	.....
Toronto.....	188	147	41	.....	263	208	55	.....
Windsor.....	75	90	.....	15	41	44	.....	3
	1037	1081	63	107	875	792	114	31
				63			31	
				44			83	

Maundy Thursday—Decrease 44

Easter Sunday—Increase 83

Net Increase—Both Services..... 39

PROCEEDINGS OF THE
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

Another year has run its course and I have the honour to present for your consideration my report as Deputy for the Province of Quebec for the year ending June 30th, 1942.

Deaths. Since the last Annual Session, Supreme Council has been bereaved of the following member in Quebec:—Ill. Bro. Alexander Fleming Copeland Ross, 33°, Puissant Lieut. Grand Commander, Montreal, died December 20th, 1941. In the passing of Illustrious Brother Ross, Supreme Council has lost one of its most respected members, and an officer of outstanding ability who has served the council for many years. In Quebec we mourn the loss of a brother whose advice was often sought and who as Deputy guided the destinies of the Rite in this Province for many years. We tender our sympathies to Mrs. Ross and her children. A memorial has been prepared and will appear in the printed Proceedings of this Annual Session.

In company with all the members of the Scottish Rite we mourn the loss of our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, M. P. Bro. John A. Rowland, 33°. We had hoped for his ultimate recovery and his resumption of business and his leading role in the Masonic fraternity but the Most High ruled otherwise and we bow in sorrow. It was my sad duty to attend our late Brother's funeral in Toronto on April 20th, 1942, representing the Scottish Rite Masons of Quebec.

Montreal. Regular meetings of the Lodge of Perfection, Chapter Rose Croix and Consistory were held and I was fortunate in being able to attend all of them.

In the Lodge of Perfection, under the guidance of Ill. Bro. B. V. Atkinson, 32°, the degrees were impressively conferred on eighteen (18) candidates. There was one (1) affiliation, but death removed thirteen (13) and eight (8) withdrew, making a net loss of two (2). The membership is now 391.

In the Chapter of Rose Croix, Ill. Bro. D. Grant Campbell, 32°, led an enthusiastic set of officers who conferred the degrees in a

dignified manner on seven (7) candidates. Again death removed twelve (12), while six (6) withdrew, a net loss of eleven (11). The present membership is 353.

The Consistory has now as its Commander-in-Chief, Ill.[°].Bro.[°]. William Carswell, 33[°], who is well supported by an efficient and interested team of officers. We look forward to a good year. Ill.[°].Bro.[°]. W. W. King, 32[°], and his able staff of officers conferred the 30[°] on fifteen (15) candidates. Death removed eleven (11) while six (6) withdrew. A net loss of two (2). The membership being now 400. The outlook for the coming season is good and we hope to show increases in our next report.

Quebec. I paid my official visit to Quebec on February 26th, 1942. Ill.[°].Bro.[°]. Reid, 32[°], and his officers conferred the 14[°] on three (3) candidates in a very satisfactory manner. He was ably assisted by the regular and past officers. Ill.[°].Bro.[°]. A. Dawson Matheson, 33[°], was absent owing to illness, but I am glad to report he soon regained his good health.

I also attended an Emergency Assembly of the Chapter of Rose Croix, but there was no degree work.

I did not visit Quebec again for the Chapter of Rose Croix regular assemblies because there was no candidate.

The Lodge of Perfection initiated two (2) and affiliated one (1), making a total of ninety (90).

The Chapter of Rose Croix affiliated one (1), but on account of withdrawals and adjustments there was a loss of five (5). The membership on June 30th being seventy-four (74).

The Grand Secretary-General and the Secretary of the Quebec Bodies had considerable correspondence in regard to the membership lists, but I am glad to report they are now correct.
COURTESIES:

We wish to thank the Illustrious Deputy for Ontario for permitting the Kingston Lodge of Perfection to confer the degrees from seven to fourteen on a candidate of Hochelaga Lodge of Perfection, who was moved to Kingston.

Also my thanks go to the Illustrious Deputy for Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island for permitting Nova Scotia Sovereign

Consistory to confer the degrees from nineteen to thirty on a candidate of Montreal Sovereign Consistory.

Hochelaga Grand Lodge of Perfection was pleased to waive jurisdiction on a candidate in favour of Ottawa Lodge of Perfection.

By-Laws: Quebec Lodge of Perfection and Chapter of Rose Croix revised their By-laws. I recommended their approval and we were fortunate to have our late Sovereign Grand Commander approve them.

Again it was my privilege and honour to install the Officers in the Lodge, Chapter and Consistory.

Fraternally submitted,

O. E. STANTON, 33°,

Deputy for Quebec.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honour to present my report for your consideration as Deputy for the Province of New Brunswick for the year ending June 30th, 1942.

The Brethren in the Valley of Saint John feel very deeply the loss of our beloved Sovereign Grand Commander who, during his visits in the East, has endeared himself to us all. They also regret the passing of other members of our Supreme Council since last we met.

They were also very sorry that Illustrious Brother Sanford thought it necessary to retire as Deputy for this Province. His interest in Masonry in this Province for many years has been outstanding. They were pleased to know, however, that he remains an Active Member of the Supreme Council.

All the meetings of the three Bodies were held last year with fairly good attendance.

During the past year the Lodge of Perfection initiated eighteen new members and lost three by death, four withdrawals and one suspension, a total gain of ten.

The Chapter of Rose Croix initiated one and lost three by death, four withdrawals, one suspension, a loss of seven.

The Consistory initiated five and affiliated one, and lost three by death, four withdrawals and one suspension, a loss of two.

I attended most of the meetings and can report most excellent work was done by the Degree teams. Sometimes it is too bad the members of these teams are not rewarded for the time and effort expended in the preparation of the degrees by a larger attendance. No doubt many of our members are busy with war work of various kinds, but if a real effort were made a decided improvement could be shown.

The Easter Ceremonies were observed but I regret to say the attendance was only fair. A concerted effort will have to be made to try to correct this situation.

Prospects—I am glad to be able to report that the prospects for new members in 1942-43 appears somewhat improved and we are strongly of the opinion that the next report to the Supreme Council will show much better conditions existing in the Rite.

Fraternally submitted,

R. F. WRIGHT, 33°,

Deputy For New Brunswick.

**PROVINCES OF NOVA SCOTIA AND
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scott's Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honour to submit herewith my report as Deputy for the Provinces of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island for the year ending 30th June, 1942.

The four bodies of the Scottish Rite in these two Maritime Provinces show a decline in total membership of 11, particulars of which are as follows:

Victoria Lodge of Perfection remains the same with 255 members.

Albert Edward Lodge of Perfection decreased from 67 to 63.

Keith Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix from 216 to 211.

Nova Scotia Consistory from 164 to 162.

This reduction of less than 2 per cent. does not indicate any diminution of Masonic interest or activity but is due to the fact that an unusually large number of our brethren were called to their last reward during the past year, deaths alone accounting for 19 losses.

The work of the Rite has been carried on efficiently and effectively, and all four bodies are in a satisfactory condition as regards membership, attendance, degree work, organization and finances.

The Valleys of Halifax and Summerside are, as you know, located in close proximity to the Atlantic seaboard, and notwithstanding the increased tempo of defence and industrial activities consequent upon the prosecution of the war effort, in which so many of our members are engaged, the attendance at all meetings has been very gratifying. Even the gasoline and tire restrictions have not as yet had any serious effect on attendance from the outlying sections, but it is anticipated as time goes on there will be some difficulty experienced in this connection in so far as Prince Edward Island is concerned, where a large proportion of the membership is located in rural areas and transportation is always a problem that has to be given consideration.

We in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island mourn the passing of Most Puissant Brother Sovereign Grand Commander Rowland, Puissant Brother Lieutenant Grand Commander Ross and Illustrious Brother Burton, all of whom were well known to so many of our brethren, especially Most Puissant Brother Rowland,

who made frequent trips to the Maritimes and commanded the deepest esteem and affection of his numerous friends in these Provinces.

Agreeable to the custom established some five years ago, the brethren in the Valley of Halifax, with members of their families, again met in the Scottish Rite apartments on Christmas eve and enjoyed a programme of carol singing and orchestral music appropriate to the season.

Members of the Rite attended divine service at the North Street Christian Church on 11th January, when they were privileged to listen to a timely message from Illustrious Brother Reverend Fred L. Wallace, 32°.

Accompanied by the Illustrious Grand Chancellor and Honorary Inspectors-General Jones, MacKenley and Harris, I made my official visitation to Victoria Lodge of Perfection on 12th February. I have also attended most of the regular meetings of the Scottish Rite bodies in Halifax and a number of the meetings of the Executive Committee.

The Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday ceremonies of Keith Sovereign Chapter were beautiful, dignified and impressive, reflecting much credit on the officers of the Chapter and members of the Executive Committee responsible for their preparation. The attendance was large at both services and included a number of our brethren from Prince Edward Island who made the long and somewhat inconvenient trip especially for the occasion.

During the year it was found that the duties of our Executive Committee in the Valley of Halifax were becoming increasingly onerous, making it necessary to appoint a Work Committee charged with the responsibility of supervising the degree and ceremonial work of the Lodges, including the casting, properties and equipment, while the Executive Committee will continue to administer the business affairs of the three bodies. It is felt that although results have been very satisfactory in the past, this new arrangement will be even more effective, at the same time distributing the work among a greater number of the brethren. And here I must again pay tribute to the members of these Committees who contribute in a most unselfish manner of their time and effort to the furthering of the best interests of Scottish Rite Freemasonry.

I am confident that the consistent progress made by the Scottish Rite Bodies in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island during the past few years will continue in 1943.

Fraternally submitted,

LAURIE ELLS,

Deputy for N.S. and P.E.I.

PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honour to submit for your consideration my report, as Deputy for Manitoba, for year ending June 30th, 1942.

The condition of Scottish Rite Freemasonry in Manitoba continues in a very satisfactory and gratifying position.

All meetings in the Scottish Rite in the Valleys of Brandon and Winnipeg are exceptionally well attended.

The attendance at our Easter Ceremonies was extremely gratifying, with over 300 members present, both on Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday.

A very distressing occurrence cast a cloud over our Ceremonies this year, in the sudden passing of our beloved Most Wise Sovereign, Ill. Brother William Gibben, 32°.

Ill. Bro. Gibben passed away in his sleep during the night of Tuesday, March 31st, just forty-eight hours prior to Maundy Thursday Ceremonies, at which he was eagerly looking forward to preside.

Passed to the Land where all is bright,
Where falls no shadow, no more pain;
Where those who meet part no more,
And those long parted meet again.

I wish to record my thanks and appreciation to Ill. Bro. Alexander Burgess, 32°, Past Most Wise Sovereign of Bethesda Chapter Rose Croix, who on such short notice undertook the duties of Most Wise Sovereign, and conducted the Ceremonies in a most impressive manner.

Due to death, withdrawal, and suspension the Brandon Lodge of Perfection, and Chapter Rose Croix show a slight loss in membership, but have good prospects of regaining that loss.

Due to the same causes the Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection also shows a slight decrease in membership, but it is gratifying to report that Bethesda Chapter of Rose Croix, and Manitoba Consistory show small increases respectively.

The Ritualistic work of the Degrees is well organized and excellently exemplified.

A splendid spirit of co-operation, enthusiasm and fraternalism permeates the membership in both the Valley of Brandon and the Valley of Winnipeg; peace and harmony prevail, and there is every reason to believe that this fine spirit of co-operation will continue during the coming year.

During the year 1941 the Winnipeg Bodies contributed \$500.00 to the work of the Red Cross, and have pledged for the year 1942 the sum of \$750.00.

Dispensations have been granted on various occasions under statutory powers, of which returns have been made to the Grand Secretary-General.

For the many kindnesses, courtesies, and hearty co-operation I have received from my Brethren I offer sincere thanks.

Fraternally submitted,

JAMES MACKIE, 33°,

Deputy for Manitoba.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MANITOBA

Brandon Lodge of Perfection:

Membership reported last year	107
Added by initiation	2
Added by restoration	1
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	110
Lost by death	3
Lost by withdrawal	5
Lost by suspension	2
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	10
Net loss 7.	<hr/>
	100
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Brandon Rose Croix Chapter:

Membership reported last year	68
Added by initiation	3
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	71
Lost by death	2
Lost by withdrawal	3
Lost by suspension	3
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	8
Net loss 5.	<hr/>
	63
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Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection:

Membership reported last year	646
Added by initiation	16
Added by affiliation	2
Added by restoration	2
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	666
Lost by death	15
Lost by withdrawal	4
Lost by suspension	3
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	22
Net loss 2.	<hr/>
	644
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Bethesda Chapter Rose Croix:

Membership reported last year	492
Added by initiation	17
Added by affiliation	2
Added by restoration	3
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	514
Lost by death	11
Lost by withdrawal	2
Lost by suspension	2
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	15
Net increase 7.	<hr/>
	499
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Manitoba Consistory:

Membership reported last year	394
Added by initiation	18
Added by affiliation	1
Added by restoration	3
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	416
Lost by death	10
Lost by withdrawal	1
Lost by suspension	5
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	16
Net increase 6.	<hr/>
	400
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JAMES MACKIE, 33°,

Deputy for Manitoba.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I take pleasure in reporting on the condition of the Ancient
and Accepted Scottish Rite in British Columbia.

Kootenay Lodge of Perfection at Nelson is improving. I paid my last visit there in October, 1941, but I have not visited them since because it is a long expensive trip and we have an excellent Brother on the ground, in the person of Ill. Bro. L. E. Borden, 33°, (who I regret, owing to war conditions, will not be with us this year). He assures me that they are progressing, that the material brought into the Lodge this year has been exceptionally good and will be a great help to them in the work of the Lodge. They show a gain in membership of 4 and are looking forward to greater activity.

Okanagan Lodge of Perfection, at Vernon, has had a splendid year, showing a gain of 5. I attended their Annual Re-union in November and was much impressed with the Masonic Spirit and goodfellowship displayed. This Lodge very generously contributed \$300.00 to the Grand Master's Fund of British Columbia for the relief of war suffering overseas. They conferred the 13th and 14th degrees on a class while I was there; work well done. Quite a number of visitors were present from the neighboring State of Washington and I left them feeling that Scottish Rite affairs were in good hands. Ill. Bro. F. J. Burd accompanied me on this visit.

Victoria Lodge of Perfection, at Victoria, B.C. — very good indeed; shows a gain of 7. Officers and members are enthusiastic and zealous. Splendid spirit of harmony prevailing and doing excellent work in the community.

The Chapter of Rose Croix, at Victoria, has had no initiations this year. There has been no loss in membership. All Statutory meetings have been held. Easter Ceremonies splendidly exemplified and well attended. I visited both bodies, accompanied on each visit by Ill. Bro. Richard Angus, 33°. As fine a body of Scottish Rite Freemasons in Victoria as you would meet anywhere.

Vancouver Lodge of Perfection shows a falling off in membership on account of losing by death 13 members, amongst them Ill. Bro. Andrew McCreight Creery, 33°, beloved by us all. Despite all this misfortune, good progress is being made. A class of 10 candidates received the degrees, the work being, as always, well done.

Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix again shows no initiations, and on account of deaths a loss of 8 is shown. The officers are well skilled, earnest and enthusiastic. The Easter Ceremonies were well attended and beautifully conducted.

British Columbia Consistory, at Vancouver, has had a good year, having had a class of 10 and showing a gain of 3. A feature of one of the meetings was the attendance of the Officers of Bellingham Consistory in the State of Washington. They put on one of the Degrees for us, which we very much enjoyed. I attended most of the meetings of the Rite held in Vancouver.

Looking at the picture generally in British Columbia, it is healthy, and good is being done. All our members are helping in war work. I am proud of them. Finances are sound, no outstanding bills and money in the bank, and, while I do not look for any great progress during these times, we are holding and bravely keeping our banners flying.

Fraternally submitted,

HARRY H. WATSON,

Deputy, Province of British Columbia.

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honour to present my report as Deputy for the Province of Alberta for the year ending June 30th, 1942.

Valley of Edmonton—The Edmonton Lodge of Perfection held ten (10) meetings during the year. I attended all the meetings with one exception, missed on account of illness. There were nineteen (19) initiations, one (1) affiliate and one (1) restored.

In Mizpah Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix there were thirteen (13) initiations. The meetings were all very impressive and well attended, especially the Easter Ceremonies. Easter Sunday morning ceremony of Relighting the Lights was witnessed by nearly all the city members and a goodly number from country points.

In the Consistory there were nine (9) initiations. Ill. Bro. M. A. McIntyre, 32°, Commander-in-Chief, and his very capable officers conferred most of the Consistory degrees.

At our Annual Re-union we were pleased to welcome a large delegation from Calgary Lodge of Perfection, headed by Ill. Bro. William Park, 33°; Ill. Bro. George Moore, 33°; Ill. Bro. J. H. W. S. Kemmis, 33°; Ill. Bro. George F. Ritchie, 32°, T. P. G. M., and a number of others from the southern part of the Province.

Valley of Calgary—The position of the Calgary Bodies is quite satisfactory. On June 1st last, in company with Ill. Bro. M. J. Macleod, 33°; Ill. Bro. C. E. McManus, 33°; Ill. Bro. W. R. Wilson, 33°; Ill. Bro. F. N. Lett, 32°, T. P. G. M., and other brethren from Edmonton, I visited the Calgary Lodge of Perfection, where we were given a very warm welcome by the Calgary brethren.

At the evening session of the Lodge we witnessed the conferring of the 14th Degree on a class of ten candidates, the work being done in a manner which impressed everyone present, not the least the candidates, who showed themselves very attentive to the proceedings.

STATISTICS

Annual Reports have been duly received and show the following changes in membership:

Lodge		Chapter	
Initiation	15	Initiation	7
Affiliation	1	Affiliation	1
—		—	
Total Gain	16	Total Gain	8
—		—	
Deaths	5	Deaths	3
Withdrawals	6	Withdrawals	2
Suspensions	4	Suspensions	4
—		—	
Total Loss	15	Total Loss	9
—		—	

It will thus be seen that in spite of a steady influx of new members, a gain of **one only** was registered in the Lodge and a **loss of one** in the Rose Croix.

Eighteen (18) meetings have been held by the Lodge and eleven (11) by the Chapter.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance at the regular and emergent meetings is fairly satisfactory, the register showing an average of 60 to 70 out of a resident city membership of approximately 200.

The Maundy Thursday and Easter Ceremonies were attended by 145, while 115 sat down to Easter morning breakfast with a splendid representation from rural points, some of whom had come long distances, present at both ceremonies.

All the degrees from the 4th to the 14th, inclusive, were conferred twice during the year and the degrees from the 15th to the 18th, inclusive, were conferred once.

The degree teams in this Valley are in capable hands and a high standard of excellence is maintained, as many of the new members as possible are given some part in Lodge work, a practice which, in my opinion, is highly commendable.

With so many military posts established in this part of the Province it is only natural that more than the usual number of members from other parts of Canada make a point of visiting this Valley, a hearty welcome being extended to them by the Calgary brethren.

Interest from Dominion Government Bonds to the extent of \$186.25 from the Lodge and \$133.00 from the Chapter were remitted to the Dominion Government last year, (this action will be continued for the duration of the war) which brought a warm letter of thanks from the Hon. J. L. Ilsley, Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

War Bonds to the extent of \$2,000.00 were purchased during the year.

It is my impression that this Valley enjoys wise leadership, coupled with sound financing and a harmonious membership, leaving nothing to be desired.

Notwithstanding the loss in membership caused by death, withdrawals and suspensions, the outlook for Scottish Rite Masonry in the Province of Alberta is considered favourable, and the splendid spirit of fraternity is encouraging.

The Annual Returns from the various Bodies in this jurisdiction, accompanied by the requisite fees, have been duly forwarded to the Grand Secretary-General.

Everything has been running so smoothly in the absolute co-operation between the two Bodies in Alberta, that I am glad to say I have only to forward the reports from each Body.

Fraternally submitted,

E. A. BRAITHWAITE, 33°,

Illustrious Deputy for Alberta.

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

On the Scroll of History of the Rite in Saskatchewan there were written in 1941 records of deep significance, in letters of gold, the story of the visit of Supreme Council for its annual session; in characters of sombre black, the death notices of our beloved Deputy, Stewart Coulter Burton, and our gallant Masonic pioneer, Harry Herbert Campkin. The one was an event we had long anticipated and the fruits of which we shall garner for years to come; the others, blows unexpectedly suffered and losses we could ill sustain; the former a glad delight; the latter bitter tragedies. Of like nature has been the irreparable loss shared by the whole order in the sad passing of our M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander and his splendid Lieutenant, both of whom were greatly loved and are deeply mourned by all Saskatchewan brethren.

Following the death of our Ill. Deputy, the late Sovereign Grand Commander did, on January 12, commission me as Deputy,

and in that capacity I now present this report upon the state of the Rite in my Province.

On October 28th and 29th, 1941, Saskatchewan Consistory held a reunion, conferring in full form all the obligatory degrees and, in addition, the spectacular and impressive 21°. The feature of the occasion, however, was the premier production of the "Constans" drama 32°. The consensus of opinion of officers, members and candidates was that in this degree we have the most adequate climax to our system yet offered, lending itself to good dramatic effects, of fine moral tone and teaching, and peculiarly adaptable to smaller Consistories which are, of necessity, restricted by lack of space and paraphernalia. Our members keenly anticipate a repeat performance and we sincerely trust that Supreme Council will continue the optional use of this script.

Ill. Bro. Laird, having removed permanently to British Columbia, resigned as Commander-in-Chief. This necessitated an inter-term election and Ill. Bro. Rutherford succeeded to the office with the remainder of the tableau being successively advanced. On the request of the late Ill. Deputy I installed these officers.

At the statutory elections in Regina Lodge of Perfection Ill. Bro. David D. Low, son of the late Ill. Bro. Dr. David Low, a pioneer physician of the West, one of the founder officers of our Grand Lodge and a charter member of all the original bodies of the Rite in Saskatchewan, was elected T.P.G.M. I paid my official visit that evening and installed him and his officers. A successful reunion was held on May 28th and 29th.

On Maundy Thursday Regina Chapter of Rose Croix held its annual Reunion and thereafter duly observed the Easter ceremonies. The work throughout was demonstrated acceptably. At the statutory meeting Ill. Bro. Robt. A. Tate, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge, was elected M.W.S., succeeding his illustrious father, W. B. Tate, 33°, in that office which he had graced twenty-one years previously. On this, the occasion of my official visit, I installed the officers. We are proud of this tradition of father and son succession, of which the foregoing are but recent examples. Brother Tate has inaugurated a worthwhile enterprise in recording, contacting and serving members of the Chapter, their sons and daughters who are in the armed forces. The record for this one Chapter stands at 80 as of this date. The response and appreciation of those in arms has been splendid, but the financial burden is too

heavy for the smaller bodies to bear unaided. I respectfully submit that Supreme Council might well vote a sum to each Consistory for the extension of this eminently timely service. Never have we owed so much to them as now, and herein lies an opportunity to repay a portion of that debt.

On April 24th, the occasion of the annual re-union, I visited, officially, Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection and observed the conferring of seven degrees. While all the work was of a high standard, the exemplification of the 14° by the I.P.T.P.G.M., Ill. Bro. Leroy Holmes, was outstanding and worthy of the highest commendation.

Moose Jaw Lodge of Perfection held its annual Reunion on May 22nd and on this occasion I was accompanied by several Regina brethren. This Lodge is waging a valiant and, I believe, successful fight to regain the ground lost through deaths, removals and the effect of the economic disaster in the drought area tributary to it. The work was impressive and generally well done.

All the bodies report splendid prospects for large classes of candidates for projected reunions this Fall and early next year.

In connection with my official visits I gratefully acknowledge the loyal support consistently accorded me by the Honourary Inspectors-General. I have initiated a plan of, on each occasion, requesting one to speak as representing Supreme Council. They have co-operated willingly and have thereby contributed to the pleasure and profit of the Brethren. These high ranking Brethren deserve recognition and will render valuable service if thus employed.

Regina Lodge of Perfection, Regina Chapter of Rose Croix and Saskatchewan Consistory combined to contribute \$500.00 to the Grand Master's War Relief Fund for air raid victims in England and Scotland, a gesture which was deeply appreciated by the Craft Masons throughout the Province.

Your Deputy has been this year installed Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan. Notwithstanding the exacting and strenuous duties thereto attaching in this wide constituency and, particularly, under war conditions prevailing, I shall endeavour to continue to discharge faithfully the duties of Deputy.

Ill. Bro. Burton issued several dispensations waiving time requirements; two amendments to by-laws have been recommended and in due course approved; statistical tables are hereto appended and all the required returns have been made to the Grand Secretary-General.

Having due consideration to the times and the existing emergencies, it is a satisfaction to report that the Rite in Saskatchewan is making genuine progress, contributing in no small measure to the advancement of the Craft, the strengthening of the morale of the people and everywhere championing the cause of Freedom for which we must fight if we would survive.

Fraternally submitted,

DOUGLAS FRASER, 33°,

Deputy for Saskatchewan.

STATISTICAL REPORT—SASKATCHEWAN

	1942	1941	Increase	Decrease
Perfection—				
Regina	409	410		1
Saskatoon	195	194	1	
Moose Jaw	149	142	7	
	—	—	—	—
Totals	753	746	7	
	—	—	—	—
Chapters—				
Regina	274	277		3
Saskatoon	116	119		3
Alexander Shepphard, Moose Jaw	80	76	4	
	—	—	—	—
Totals	470	472		2
	—	—	—	—
Consistory—				
Saskatchewan	304	299	5	
	—	—	—	—

On motion, these reports were referred to the Committee on the General State of the Rite.

The report of the Committee on Returns was presented
by Most Rev. D. T. Owen, as follows:—

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on Returns begs leave to report as follows:

CONSISTORIES

PROVINCE	LOCATION	NAME	1941	Admitted	Affiliated	Restored	Died	Withdrawn	Suspended	1942	Increase	Decrease
Alberta	Edmonton	Alberta	346	9	..	..	6	..	7	342	..	4
British Columbia	Vancouver	British Columbia	242	10	1	..	6	..	2	245	3	..
Manitoba	Winnipeg	Manitoba	394	18	3	1	10	1	5	400	6	..
New Brunswick	Saint John	New Brunswick	101	5	1	..	3	4	1	99	..	2
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	Halifax	Nova Scotia	164	6	..	..	4	3	1	162	..	2
Ontario	Hamilton	Moore	2898	81	1	..	94	..	1	2886	..	12
Quebec	Montreal	Montreal	402	15	..	..	11	6	..	400	..	2
Saskatchewan	Regina	Saskatchewan	299	17	..	1	12	1	..	304	5	..
			4846	161	6	2	146	15	16	4838	14	22

DECREASE 8

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

PROVINCE	LOCATION	NAME	1941	Admitted	Affiliated	Restored	Died	Withdrawn	Suspended	1942	Increase	Decrease
Alberta	Calgary	Delta	237	7	1	..	3	2	4	236	..	1
British Columbia	Edmonton	Mizpah	294	13	..	..	6	3	13	285	..	9
	Vancouver	Vancouver	326	..	1	1	7	1	2	318	..	8
Manitoba	Victoria	Victoria	92	..	..	..	..	..	..	92	..	..
	Brandon	Brandon	68	3	..	..	2	3	3	63	..	5
	Winnipeg	Bethesda	492	17	2	3	11	2	2	499	7	..
New Brunswick	Saint John	Harington	129	1	..	..	3	4	1	122	..	7
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	Halifax	Keith	216	6	..	..	6	4	1	211	..	5
Ontario	Barrie	Spry	831	12	..	..	9	..	..	834	3	..
	Fort William	Nanna Bijou	248	22	..	..	4	..	..	266	18	..
	Guelph	Guelph	264	8	..	..	6	..	3	263	..	1
	Hamilton	Hamilton	1274	27	..	..	42	..	..	1259	..	15
	Kingston	Rose of Sharon	163	7	1	..	1	..	..	170	7	..
	London	London	460	3	..	..	11	1	..	451	..	9
	North Bay	North Bay	165	..	..	..	1	..	..	164	..	1
	Ottawa	Murray	490	4	..	..	16	1	..	477	..	13
	Peterborough	Peterborough	147	7	..	..	1	..	..	153	6	..
	Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie	124	1	..	1	7	2	1	116	..	8
	Toronto	Toronto	864	16	..	..	23	..	..	857	..	7
Quebec	Windsor	Windsor	264	6	..	5	9	3	..	263	..	1
	Montreal	Hochelaga	364	7	..	..	12	6	..	353	..	11
	Quebec	Quebec	79	..	1	..	..	3	3	74	..	5
	Moose Jaw	Alex. Sheppard	76	4	..	..	..	..	..	80	4	..
Saskatchewan	Regina	Regina	277	7	..	..	7	3	..	274	..	3
	Saskatoon	Saskatoon	119	2	..	..	5	..	..	116	..	3
			8063	180	6	10	192	38	33	7996	45	112

DECREASE 67

LODGES OF PERFECTION

PROVINCE	LOCATION	NAME	1941	Admitted	Affiliated	Restored	Died	Withdrawn	Suspended	1942	Increase	Decrease	Number of Members in Province
Alberta	Calgary	Calgary	308	15	1	..	5	6	4	309	1	..	..
	Edmonton	Edmonton	341	19	1	..	6	4	22	330	..	11	639
British Columbia	Nelson	Kootenay	62	5	..	..	1	..	..	66	4	..	..
	Vancouver	Vancouver	399	10	1	..	13	1	2	395	..	4	..
Vernon	Vernon	Okanagan	72	10	..	..	4	1	..	77	5	..	..
	Victoria	Victoria	159	9	..	..	2	..	..	166	7	..	704
Brandon	Brandon	Brandon	107	2	..	..	3	5	2	100	..	7	..
	Winnipeg	Winnipeg	646	16	2	2	15	4	3	644	..	2	744
Saint John	Saint John	Saint John	207	18	..	..	3	4	1	217	10	..	217
	Halifax	Victoria	256	12	..	..	6	3	4	255	..	1	..
Summerside	Summerside	Albert Edward	67	3	..	..	3	..	5	63	..	4	318
	Barrie	Barrie	1222	9	..	..	19	..	..	1212	27	10	..
Fort William	Fort William	Superior	356	36	..	..	8	1	..	383	27	..	..
	Guelph	Royal City	484	11	..	2	8	..	3	486	2	..	..
Hamilton	Hamilton	Murton	2024	41	..	..	54	..	..	2011	..	13	..
	Kingston	Kingston	271	5	1	..	4	..	1	272	1	..	..
London	London	London	605	11	..	..	13	2	..	601	..	4	..
	Niagara Falls	Elgin	352	14	..	..	6	..	..	360	8	..	..
North Bay	North Bay	North Bay	288	..	..	..	1	..	..	287	..	1	..
	Ottawa	Ottawa	809	7	..	..	23	1	..	792	..	17	..
Peterborough	Peterborough	Peterborough	247	7	..	..	2	..	..	252	5	..	..
	Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie	151	3	2	..	5	2	5	144	..	7	..
Toronto	Toronto	Toronto	1532	30	2	..	32	..	..	1532	..	..	..
	Windsor	Windsor	352	6	..	5	9	3	..	351	..	1	8683
Montreal	Montreal	Hochelega	393	18	1	..	13	8	..	391	..	2	..
	Quebec	Quebec	87	2	1	..	..	..	..	90	3	..	481
Moose Jaw	Moose Jaw	Moose Jaw	142	10	..	..	2	..	1	149	7	..	..
	Regina	Regina	410	12	..	..	13	..	..	409	..	1	..
Saskatoon	Saskatoon	Saskatoon	194	7	..	..	6	..	..	195	1	..	753
			12543	348	12	13	279	45	53	12539	81	85	12539

DECREASE 4

The Supreme Council then adjourned for luncheon, and opened in the

FIRST EXECUTIVE SESSION

at 3.30 P.M.

The Illustrious Deputy for Ontario nominated:—

Ill.'. Bro.'. James Alexander Simpson, 33°,
Ill.'. Bro.'. Howard Brown Moore, 33°,
Ill.'. Bro.'. Clarence McLeod Pitts, 33°,

and the Illustrious Deputy for Quebec nominated:—

Ill.'. Bro.'. William Carswell, 33°,

to receive the degree of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General.

The Illustrious Deputy for Ontario nominated ten; the Illustrious Deputy for Quebec nominated one; the Illustrious Deputy for New Brunswick nominated two; the Illustrious Deputy for Nova Scotia and P. E. I. nominated two; and the Illustrious Deputy for Saskatchewan nominated one; Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32° to receive the degree of Honourary Inspector-General at the next Annual Session of Supreme Council.

The nominations were received and referred to the Committee on Nominations.

Moved by Ill.'. Bro.'. D. G. McIlwraith, seconded by Ill.'. Bro.'. H. T. Malcolmson, that the time for conferring the degree of Honourary Inspector-General on one Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret 32° from Ontario, elected at a previous Session of the Supreme Council, but unable to attend this Session on account of illness, be extended for one year. The motion was carried.

The Illustrious Deputy for Ontario presented a request from Ill.'. Bro.'. Walter Norris Duff, 33°, that he be transferred to the rank of Past Active Member of Supreme Council, and, on motion, the request was granted.

The Grand Secretary-General read a letter from Ill.'. Bro.'. William C. Benson, 33°, London, Ontario, resigning as

a member of Supreme Council and asking that his name be removed from the list of members as soon as possible. On motion, the resignation was accepted.

Ill. Bro. George H. Ross asked for unanimous consent to present amendments to the Statutes and Regulations, as outlined in his Notice of Motion shown on page 59 of the Proceedings of 1941.

Unanimous consent being granted, he moved as follows:

AMENDMENTS

ARTICLE 33, 13th LINE—Delete the words “and deposit the same” and make the sentence following the word “Council” to read “Other than moneys due on invested funds, and deposit such moneys as provided in Article 43”. Also, in line 15, delete the words “or due”.

ARTICLE 34—to read as follows: “The Grand Treasurer-General shall have the custody of all securities of the Supreme Council. He shall collect all moneys due and payable on the securities and deposit the moneys as provided in Article 43. He shall, under the direction of the Committee on Audit and Finance and Inspection of Securities, provide for the safe keeping of all securities and shall produce them for inspection as and when requested by that Committee. He shall submit at each Annual Meeting a general and detailed account of all moneys received and disbursed for the Supreme Council. He shall pay out no moneys except as provided by Article 43 of these Statutes.”

ARTICLE 43, SECTION 4,—to read: “All moneys received by the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General shall be deposited in a depository or depositories authorized by the Supreme Council, to the credit of ‘Supreme Council A. & A.S.R. for Canada’. All cheques for the withdrawal of money shall be requisitioned by the Grand Secretary-General and be signed by any two of the following: the Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, the Lieutenant Grand Commander, the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General”.

On motion, the amendments were accepted and confirmed.

Moved by Ill. Bro. C. S. Hamilton, seconded by Ill. Bro. J. A. Henderson, that, pursuant to Article 43, Section 4, of the Statutes

and Regulations of this Supreme Council, the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation or the Canadian Bank of Commerce, or both, be and they are hereby authorized as depositories in which the moneys of Supreme Council A. & A. S. R. for Canada be deposited.

The motion was carried.

It was announced by Ill.^o. Bro.^o. John A. Dobbie that Ill.^o. Bro.^o. Harry H. Watson and his good wife had recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, and the members of Supreme Council heartily joined with Ill.^o. Bro.^o. Dobbie in congratulating Ill.^o. Bro.^o. Watson on this happy event and in wishing for him and Mrs. Watson many more years of conjugal happiness.

Ill.^o. Bro.^o. Watson responded feelingly and in his usual happy manner.

The Grand Secretary-General was instructed to send flowers with the cordial greeting of Supreme Council to the following ladies:—

Mrs. John A. Rowland,
Mrs. A. F. Webster,
Mrs. J. A. Cameron,
Mrs. A. F. C. Ross,
Mrs. S. C. Burton,

which pleasant duty was duly executed.

Supreme Council suspended in Executive Session at 4.35 P.M., and resumed in

GENERAL SESSION

at 8.30 P.M., when the following Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32^o were coroneted Honourary Inspectors-General 33^o, and duly proclaimed by the Grand Marshal:—

Richard Coulton Berkinshaw
Robert John Alexander Curry
John Harold Cuddie
Glenn Laverne Facey
James Watts Hamilton
Charles Hammond Martin
Arthur Lorne Reid
William Robert Simpson

The degree was conferred by Ill.°. Bro.°. J. H. Winfield, Acting Sovereign Grand Commander, assisted by Ill.°. Bro.°. D. G. McIlwraith, acting as Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander, and other officers of Supreme Council.

The Box of Fraternal Assistance was passed and, on motion, the offering was donated to the Grand Almoner of the Hamilton Scottish Rite Bodies.

Supreme Council then adjourned at 10.15 P.M., after which supper was served in the reception room of the Cathedral, at which the members of Supreme Council and their ladies, together with the ladies of the Hamilton Reception Committee, spent a happy hour renewing old and making new friends and acquaintances.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7th

Supreme Council opened in the

SECOND EXECUTIVE SESSION

at 9.30 A.M.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee on Nominations recommends for the favorable consideration of Supreme Council the nominations of:

James Alexander Simpson,
Howard Brown Moore,
Clarence McLeod Pitts,
William Carswell,

to be advanced to the rank of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General and of the sixteen Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret nominated for the rank of Honourary Inspector-General referred to the Committee at yesterday's Executive Session.

Fraternally submitted,

H. H. WATSON, 33°

H. T. MALCOLMSON, 33°

On motion the report was adopted and the nominations confirmed.

The roll was called by the Grand Secretary-General and Ill.'. Bros.'.

James Alexander Simpson,
Howard Brown Moore,
William Carswell,
Clarence McLeod Pitts,

were declared elected to be elevated to the rank of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General 33°.

The roll was again called and sixteen Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32° who were nominated yesterday, were declared elected to receive the degree of Honourary Inspector-General 33°, at the Annual Session of Supreme Council in 1943.

Ill.'. Bro.'. J. H. Winfield, Acting Sovereign Grand Commander, requested M.'. P.'. Bro.'. Melvin M. Johnson, 33°, to confer the degree of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General on the four Illustrious Brethren just elected to that rank, and the ceremony was impressively performed by M.'. P.'. Bro.'. Johnson.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

to fill vacancies caused by the deaths of M.'. P.'. Bro.'. John A. Rowland and P.'. Bro.'. A. F. C. Ross:—

The Acting Sovereign Grand Commander appointed Ill.'. Bro.'. Frank J. Burd and Ill.'. Bro.'. Reginald F. Wright to act as scrutineers. After the tabulation of the ballots cast, the Scrutineers reported the result as follows:—

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander—Douglas Gordon McIlwraith.

Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander—George Henry Ross.

Illustrious Deputy for Ontario — James Alexander Simpson.

At the request of the Acting Sovereign Grand Commander, Most Puissant Brother John H. Cowles conducted the ceremony of the Installation of the elected officers.

Supreme Council suspended in Executive Session at 10.30 A.M. and opened in

GENERAL SESSION

The Report of the Committee on the General State of the Rite was presented by Ill.^l. Bro.^l. Frank A. Copus, as follows:

COMMITTEE ON THE GENERAL STATE OF THE RITE

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry in the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on the General State of the Rite wish to remind members of the Supreme Council that it is by no means easy to secure a correct picture as to conditions in a constituency that stretches from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The reports of the Deputies are perhaps our most valuable source. It is our task to read between the lines of these reports, to endeavour properly to evaluate the information, statistical and otherwise, therein contained, and to supplement the results thus obtained with the knowledge gained from our own experience and observation. It is not for us to report in such glowing terms that Supreme Council will be lulled into the illusion that all is well; nor, on the other hand, should we be too much alarmed by conditions that may be of only temporary import. For us it is not a case of a search for the happy medium. It is the truth that we seek, and our frame of mind must therefore be one of absolute and impartial candour.

In the spirit, therefore, of this search for truth, what shall be said of the fact that for years past our statisticians have been forced to record a decrease annually in our membership or at best a gain so small as to be negligible? Depression years, the strain of the war, the ever-present inroads of death, all these have been cited ad nauseam as contributory causes in the development of a situation that has too often been glossed over. Your Committee feel that it is time we faced up to this matter. Unquestionably the causes mentioned above have had their influence. But the outstanding fact is that for years past we have been subjected to a drain in the way of withdrawals and suspensions that is, to put it mildly, alarming. We may not be bleeding to death, but there is a constant and serious hemorrhage. There must be som thing

wrong, either with our original process of selection of our candidates or with what happens to the brethren after they have been admitted. What it is that is wrong, wherein we have failed in this most vital matter, is something that must be earnestly studied. We should no longer evade the issue.

On one aspect of the situation your Committee is quite certain, and that is that the problem will not be solved by easing our requirements in the matter of dues. That is the road of appeasement and it leads to ruin. What is lightly obtained is little valued. Indeed it is our conviction that this matter is a problem of finance to only a very limited extent, for it is a fact that as a whole our brethren are but little concerned with costs. Indeed, who can assess in cold dollars and cents the value of membership in the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite? It simply cannot be done, for it is something that is beyond any financial rating or assessment. And yet there are scores of our members who to all appearances value their membership so lightly that they surrender it without a qualm.

Loss of membership is an inevitable by-product, a natural consequence of poor attendance at lodge meetings. And here the reports of the Deputies reveal a discouraging picture. The comments on attendance range all the way from "exceptionally good" (all honour to Winnipeg that again heads the list), "gratifying," "fairly satisfactory," "only fair," down to a frank statement that only a small portion of the membership is in regular attendance.

It is the considered opinion of your Committee that this attendance problem must be handled from within. It is something that rests squarely upon the shoulders of the administrative officers in Lodge, Chapter and Consistory. This is a fact that should be brought more often and more emphatically to the attention of these officers. Intelligent, persistent and kindly effort — not alone by Lodge notice, letter or circular, though these have their place — but by personal man-to-man contacts will find its fruits in good attendance as certainly as that daylight follows dark. This has been proved over and over again, and because this is true the officers who mourn a poor attendance are self-condemned. It should also be added that the brethren will continue to attend if the meetings have the right atmosphere, friendly, interesting and uplifting, for men today are lonely, they need the stimulus of fellowship and, above all, the help that comes from the sense of God's presence and the comfort of His peace.

It is regrettable to learn that in parts of the jurisdiction the attendance at the Easter-tide meetings continues to be so poorly proportioned to the membership. These ceremonies are of the very heart and soul of Scottish Rite Freemasonry. The Feast of Remembrance of the Passion of our Lord, the breaking of bread, the extinguishing of the lights and their re-kindling — *lux e notex* — the triumph of life over death, surely these are of immeasurable possibilities of help for the troubled hearts of men. Yet it is admitted that in some provinces eighty per cent. of our members fail to attend.

We feel that it is time that Supreme Council concerned itself seriously with these matters, for they are vital and fundamental to the good and welfare of the Order. It has been said so often that it needs no further stressing that the present Gethsemane of world-wide suffering has its roots in the fact that so many of us have neglected the spiritual because we have been so engrossed with the material things of life. Perhaps this has been true of Freemasonry and of the Scottish Rite to a degree greater than we have realized. Certainly it would be well for us to examine our approach to Freemasonry with the thought that it is along the line of the spiritual, the intangible things of life, that our Order can make its greatest contribution towards the well-being of mankind — not in pietistic psalm-singing but in a frank recognition of man's utter dependence upon the good providence of God.

Your Committee are heartened by the belief that there are signs and portents of better things to come. There is a stirring among the tree-tops. There are evidences of a re-awakened appreciation of the fact that Freemasonry is not a mere avenue of pleasant social intercourse and, in the case of the Scottish Rite, of dramatic entertainment. More and more are coming to the realization that Freemasonry is a Way of Life.

It so happens that each member of your Committee has served his brethren as Grand Master and as such has been privileged over and over again to speak to large gatherings of members of the Craft. We testify that the brethren do respond gladly and warmly to appeals to the spiritual side of man's nature. We need more of our brethren who will take advantage of the opportunity that comes at every Masonic meeting to assist in arming their fellow-men for the adventure of life. So we close this report by calling attention to the fact that in the persons of the many able and distinguished leaders of Masonic thought who are Inspectors-

General of the Rite, both Active and Honorary, there is ready to the hand of Freemasonry a great pool of talent that up to the present has been used to only a limited extent. We give you this as a great challenge and a great responsibility; and in the confident hope that this body of real ability may be re-enlisted for this purpose your Committee looks to the future with a renewed expectation that greater fields of useful service lie ahead for Freemasonry and the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

Fraternally submitted,

FRANK A. COPUS, 33°

FRANK J. BURD, 33°

DOUGLAS FRASER, 33°

The Chairman also presented the following as a supplementary report, in reference to the "Freemasonry and Youth Movement":

Your Committee to whom was referred that portion of the report of the Illustrious Deputy for Saskatchewan relating to the Freemasonry and Youth Movement, beg to recommend

Both of these reports were adopted by Supreme Council.

1. That the Deputies of the several provinces be charged with the duty of setting up such organization in connection with the Freemasonry and Youth Movement as may appear to them effective, co-relating the same to Grand Lodge activities where such exist; and

2. That the Sovereign Grand Commander be authorized, on being satisfied of the need therefor, to disburse from the funds appropriated for war charitable purposes, such sums as may in his discretion be necessary.

Fraternally submitted,

FRANK A. COPUS, 33°,

Chairman.

The presentation of the report was followed by a prolonged and most interesting discussion in which a number of Active and Honourary Members took part.

It was agreed that the Committee had challenged the entire membership of Supreme Council to renewed activity in the cause of Scottish Rite Freemasonry, and the hope was expressed that the challenge would be accepted with enthusiasm.

The Report of the Committee on the Allocution of the Sovereign Grand Commander was presented by Ill.'. Bro.'. Frank J. Burd, as follows:—

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE ALLOCUTION
OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:**

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on the address of the Acting Sovereign Grand Commander report as follows:—

We listened to the inspired message of the Acting Sovereign Grand Commander with mixed feelings of admiration and sadness, — delight in the indomitable spirit of hope that pain cannot suppress, in the brilliant mind that suffering cannot dull, in the great heart that beats strong with love for his fellow-men and sorrow that he cannot be among us to share our fellowship and contribute to the advancement of the great work in which we are engaged and in which he has ever been a Master Builder. Honouring him as we have come to know him — and to know him is to love him — we looked forward to meeting him here, and we miss him sorely. And yet, because of his very absence, his message will sink deeper into our minds, for it reflects indeed the soul of the seer, the spirit of the man himself.

He is anxious for our comfort and concerned that we may receive a fitting welcome. Those Brethren whose Masonic home is in the Valley of Hamilton have translated his wish into deeds of kindness and thoughtfulness that would fully satisfy the most exacting standard he would set for them. They have honoured him by respecting his wishes in this regard, and members of Supreme Council will long gratefully remember the warmth of their welcome and the happy circumstances of our meeting in this beautiful city.

The reference to the passing of the M.'. P.'. Sovereign Grand Commander, the Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander, and the

Illustrious Deputy for Saskatchewan are tributes to departed worth and strike a responsive chord in our hearts, words of genuine regret over their passing, but hope for our comfort, and of faith that

“They are not dead! They have but passed
Beyond the mists that bind us here,
Into the new and larger life
Of that serener sphere.”

We were today so inspiringly reminded by our Grand Prior that “there is no true education without habitual contemplation of greatness.”

Let us, then, reflect on the fine qualities of these great souls that we may come to know the secret of their greatness, and knowing it do honour to their memories.

We recommend to the Brethren the timely words of wisdom and experience in which are defined for our guidance the qualities of our leaders and their essential qualifications for leadership. They are words which the citizenry of our country should hear and heed. We believe we have chosen such leaders, but our individual responsibility does not end there. Let us, actuated by similar ideals of service and sacrifice, rally around those now selected and uphold their hands and cheer their spirits as they face the unprecedented responsibilities which we have laid upon them. Thus will united Freemasonry fulfill her mission and make a real contribution towards securing to all people everywhere those freedoms for which we fight and with victory win a just and lasting peace.

We sincerely add our measure of sympathy to our sister jurisdictions, and our mead of praise of those who since our last Session have been called to the Grand Lodge above. For all those who mourn we beseech the sustaining comfort and consolation of the All-Wise Father.

The tabulation of membership, while it is essentially a matter for the careful consideration of the proper Committee, indicates that we should, as a Body, give serious thought to its unsatisfactory trend. It may be that we should give more aggressive leadership in disseminating the principles and objects of our Order, that more worthy brethren of the Craft may be attracted to it.

Our contribution to relief of suffering occasioned by the war has been wisely expended, and we heartily approve the action of

those charged with its distribution. From information we have gleaned we are of the opinion that the unexpended portion of the fund in hand is sufficient for the present demands, but we concur in the suggestion that it be disbursed as and when the Sovereign Grand Commander and his Committee in their discretion deem it desirable and timely.

The simplification of procedure in dealing with more or less routine matters as defined in the letters exchanged between the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the sister Southern and Northern Jurisdictions and the office is in the interests of greater efficiency and we concur in the recommendation that the tentative arrangements be ratified by this Supreme Council. We appreciate the courteous co-operation of these Sovereign Grand Commanders who are our honoured guests today.

Our Illustrious Brother has succinctly stated how little we have suffered actually in a war-torn world and, by way of contrast, how very much we have to be thankful for, and he has defined our plain duty as the days go by. We commend his sentiments to every brother of the Rite, and join in his prayer that we may never fail in doing our duty as men, as Freemasons and as citizens. May we never fall below the high ideals he has clearly set before us.

With deep gratitude for the inspiration of his message we express to him our love and homage, praying fervently that the Great Architect may grant to His servant renewed strength and sustaining grace sufficient for all his needs.

Fraternally submitted,

F. J. BURD, 33°

DOUGLAS FRASER,, 33°

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:—

Your Committee on Audit and Finance beg to report that we have examined and audited the books and accounts as kept by the

Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General for the year ended August 31st, 1942.

We have verified the revenues received from returns of the subordinate Bodies, and from interest on investments.

We have examined and checked the vouchers covering the disbursements.

The balance on hand at the credit of Supreme Council in the Canadian Bank of Commerce has been certified to by the Bank.

We certify that the statements presented, and now signed by us, are correct and in accordance with the books.

Fraternally submitted,

GEORGE H. ROSS, 33°

HAROLD T. MALCOLMSON, 33°

CORRESPONDENCE

In accordance with the hope expressed by the Sovereign Grand Commander in his Allocution, that the Grand Secretary-General would read to Supreme Council some of the letters received by him in acknowledgement of our gifts, the Secretary-General read the following letters:—

Chelwood Beacon, Chelwood Gate, Sussex, England.

July 22nd, 1942.

W. H. Wardrope, Esq.,
4 Queen Street South,
Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

Dear Sir and Ill. Bro.:

I know of course that your very kind letter to Ill. Bro. Tower, our Grand Secretary-General, of January 28th, was acknowledged at the time but I feel you are entitled to some further enlightenment as to the beneficial effect we have been able to bring about as a result of your splendid charity. We have now, after most careful thought, distributed the £1,000 you sent us at that time in two ways:

We have sent £500 to the Lord Mayor's Fund for the Relief of Distress with the existence of which you are familiar.

The balance of £500 we have voted to an Institution called "The London Foot Hospital". This is one in which all my colleagues on the Supreme Council are interested though I, personally, am not concerned in any way with it. It is the leading centre of the chiropodists of the Metropolis and its influence extends very much more widely. It is a school for chiropodists as well as a hospital giving, of course, what is known in the hospital world as "out-patient treatment". It has no beds but, what is more important at the moment, since the outbreak of war, it has given treatment GRATIS to all those serving in any of the fighting services of the Empire or of our Allies. I am assured that this has involved the carrying out of a very large volume of work. The hospital, because it has no beds, receives less assistance than the General Hospitals from certain of our big voluntary funds. On the other hand, they receive no payment from National funds; which can be contrasted with the fact that, in the ordinary civil hospitals, all patients from the services have the full cost paid for by the Government.

I think it well to give you these full details in view of our decision in this matter and to explain to you that your generosity has gone in a direction of genuine assistance in connection with the war, and to the benefit of our friends who are serving, where ever they came from.

It has been a very great pleasure to the members of the Supreme Council to act for you in this matter and I need not say that we remain entirely at your disposal whenever you think we can help in this, or similar matters.

Believe me,

Yours faithfully and fraternally,

DONOUGHMORE.

J. A. Henderson, Esq.,
Grand Secretary-General,
Supreme Council of Canada.

P.S.—I attach herewith Receipt No. 7058 from The London Foot Hospital and Receipt No. 95113 from The Lord Mayor's Empire Air Raid Distress Fund for the completion of your records.

London Foot Hospital, 33 Fitzroy Square, London, W.I.

J. A. Henderson, Esq.,
4 Queen Street South,
Hamilton, Ontario.

21st July, 1942.

Dear Sir and Worshipful Brother:

The London Foot Hospital has received £500 from the Supreme Council of England, being part of a donation which was sent by your Supreme Council. As I am Chairman of the London Foot Hospital and six other members of the Supreme Council are on its Committee, I feel we ought to write and express our deep gratitude to your Supreme Council.

Ever since the beginning of the War soldiers have been sent daily to the Hospital and have been treated gratuitously. There has been no Government grant to help our finances and in consequence we are overdrawn at the Bank to the amount of nearly £4000. You can understand how delighted we were to receive your noble gift.

The seven of us write in most cordial gratitude to your Council for their generosity.

Yours faithfully and fraternally,

A. HENRY McMAHON, Chairman.

The following letters of sympathy re the passing of M.:
P.: Bro.: John A. Rowland were received:—

10 Duke St., St. James', London, S.W.I., Eng.,
22nd April, 1942.

Ill.: Bro.: J. A. Henderson, 33°,
Grand Secretary-General,
Supreme Council of Canada.
Dear and Ill.: Bro.: Henderson:

I need hardly say what a shock it was to receive your cable announcing the death of your M.P.S.G.C., and I immediately telephoned the sad news to Lord Donoughmore.

I can assure you that the grief of this Supreme Council is offered to you and your colleagues in very sincere sympathy.

Yours fraternally,

JOHN C. F. TOWER,

Grand Secretary-General.

Chelwood Beacon, Chelwood Gate, Sussex, England,

25th May, 1942.

J. A. Henderson, Esq.,
Grand Secretary-General,
Supreme Council 33°,
4 Queen Street South,
Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

Dear Bro. Grand Secretary-General:

I have to thank you for your letter of April 21st, confirming the cable you sent to us on the previous day and which, I know, was acknowledged by cable by our Grand Secretary-General. I need hardly assure you that the Supreme Council of England are very much with you in sympathy over the great loss you have sustained. I met your Most Puissant Brother Rowland when he was over here, some years ago, and have been very happy to think of his activities on your side of the Atlantic.

We shall all mourn him — but we shall all remember him for his kindness and for the splendid work he did on behalf of the Order in which we are all so much interested.

Believe me,
Yours sincerely and fraternally,

DONOUGHMORE.

Lochinch Castle, Stranraer, Wigtownshire, Scotland,

April 25th, 1942.

Dear Sir and V. V. I. Brother:

It was with very great sorrow that I received your most melancholy cable of 20th April.

I hardly know how to express the deep sympathy, which is felt by all members of Supreme Council of Scotland, with the members of Supreme Council of Canada in the grievous loss to all branches of Masonry in Canada, and in fact also elsewhere, by the passing of so great a Mason as the late M. V. P. Bro. Rowland.

Yours sincerely and fraternally,

STAIR.

10 Merrion Square, Dublin, Eire,
April 27th, 1942.

From:

Gerald FitzGibbon, LL.D.,
Sovereign Grand Commander, 33°,
Supreme Council for Ireland.
Most Illustrious and Dear Bro.·. Henderson:

Your cablegram (which was slightly delayed by the Censor's Office) conveying the sad news of the death of your Most Piusant Sovereign Grand Commander, Bro.·. John A. Rowland, was delivered to me this morning just as I was setting out to the funeral in Trinity College of the most distinguished and beloved member of my own Supreme Council, Bro.·. William E. Thrift, the Provost of Trinity College, whose Balustre will be mailed to you this week.

I offer to you and to the Members of the Supreme Council 33° for Canada my most profound sympathy in your great loss; my Brother Rowland was well known to me, he and his wife honoured Mrs. FitzGibbon and myself with their company when they visited Ireland a few years ago, and I have the most vivid recollection of his hospitality to me when I was passing through Toronto on my way to Cleveland in 1935, which seems almost as if it had been yesterday, so much did it impress me. He was then only your Lieutenant Grand Commander, and not yet the Representative of my Supreme Council in the Valley of Hamilton.

Please convey to your Supreme Council at its next Session the most profound sympathy of the Supreme Council 33° for Ireland, and especially of myself, in the grievous bereavement which your Council, and indeed the whole Masonic Order in Canada has suffered in the death of your Sovereign Commander.

Believe me,

Yours most faithfully and fraternally,

GERALD FITZGIBBON, S.·.G.·.C.·.

To Most Illustrious Bro.·. James A. Henderson, 33°,
Grand Secretary-General,
Supreme Council 33° for Canada.

46 Anglesea Road, Dublin,
5th August, 1942.

M. . Ill. . Bro. . James A. Henderson,
Grand Secretary-General,
Supreme Council of Canada,
4 Queen St. South,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Very Dear and M. . Ill. . Brother Henderson:

It is with very real regret that I have heard of the death of M. . P. . Bro. . John Albert Rowland, the Representative of our Jurisdiction at your Supreme Council.

Will you kindly convey to the M. . Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander and the Supreme Council the sincere and heartfelt sympathy of my Supreme Council in the loss they have sustained.

I am,

Yours sincerely and fraternally,

RAYMOND F. BROOKE, 33°,

Grand Secretary-General, H.E.

Victoria, B.C., April 29th, 1942.

Bro. Jas. A. Henderson,
Grand Secretary-General,
Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of Western Canada Conclave, No. 25, Red Cross of Constantine, held in the City of Vancouver, British Columbia, on April 18th, 1942, reference was made by Past Sovereign H. H. Watson to the passing of M. W. Bro. Rowland, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the Dominion of Canada.

I have been instructed on behalf of the Conclave, to extend to your Order our deep and sincere sympathy in this great loss. It is evident from the remarks made by Bro. Watson that Canada has lost a very fine citizen of which it was justly proud.

Yours sincerely,

S. J. WILLIS, Recorder.

A letter from Ill. Bro. Mohamed Bey Taher, 33°, our Grand Representative near the Supreme Council of Egypt, might be of interest:—

Or. d'Alexandrie, le 22nd November, 1941.

R. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, Esq., 33°,
Acting Grand Secretary-General,
Supreme Council of Canada,
4 Queen Street South,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Sir and R. W. Bro.:

With further reference to my letter dated 9th February, 1941, and the receipt of your Letters Patent of Credence with the Jewel, I have the honour to report that it might please your Worship to learn that, in a big and elaborate meeting of the Grand Lodge, in which the Ill. Bro. Mohamed Bey Rifaat, 33°, Grand Secretary-General of the Supreme Council in Egypt, presided, he has seen fit to decorate me with the Jewel of my office as the Grand Representative of the Supreme Council of Canada, and for which nomination I am indeed greatly honoured.

With kindest regards and fraternal greetings,

Yours sincerely,

MOHAMED BEY TAHER, 33°.

To this letter the Grand Secretary-General replied as follows:—

January 15th, 1942.

Ill. Bro. Mohamed Bey Taher, 33°,
Commandant, Customs Police,
Alexandria, Egypt.

Dear Sir and Ill. Bro.—

Your letter of 22nd November, 1941, has just been received by me, and I am pleased indeed to learn that you have finally received, and have been presented officially with, the Jewel of your office as Grand Representative of the Supreme Council of Canada near the Supreme Council of Egypt. I am hoping that in these most difficult days this closer association between our two Supreme Councils may be productive of much good.

I have received in the same mail a letter from Ill.'. Bro.'. Mohamed Rifaat, 33°, Grand Secretary-General, with which he enclosed copies of your letters of 8th February, 1940, and your letter of November 22nd, 1941, which has just been received. I acknowledged your letter of 8th February, 1940, but apparently this letter was not received by you, which I regret exceedingly. However, in these days I presume we will have to look for delays and, perhaps, in some instances, lost letters.

With kindest regards and sincere good wishes, I remain,

Fraternally yours,

J. A. HENDERSON, 33°,

Grand Secretary-General.

It was moved by Ill.'. Bro.'. J. H. Winfield, seconded by Ill.'. Bro.'. W. J. Major:

"That Supreme Council place upon record its appreciation of the splendid work of the Hamilton brethren in making such excellent arrangements for our comfort and entertainment. The local committees seem to have thought of everything, and a desire, once expressed, was immediately fulfilled. The work of the Committee on transportation was particularly fine and it is to be hoped that its members will not suffer gasoline shortage as the result of their labours.

"The visiting ladies have been handsomely entertained by their hostesses, and the sincere thanks of Supreme Council are offered to the various committees whose untiring thoughtfulness has made this annual session so enjoyable."

The motion was enthusiastically carried.

The Sovereign Grand Commander appointed the Standing Committees, as follows:—

On Jurisprudence and Legislation:—

Ill.'. Bro.'. W. J. Major
Ill.'. Bro.'. C. F. Sanford
Ill.'. Bro.'. Douglas Fraser

On Audit and Finance and Inspection of Securities:—

Ill.°. Bro.°. H. T. Malcolmson

Ill.°. Bro.°. Thomas K. Wade

Ill.°. Bro.°. Howard B. Moore

On Nominations:—

M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Douglas G. McIlwraith

Ill.°. Bro.°. George H. Ross

Ill.°. Bro.°. J. H. Winfield

Ill.°. Bro.°. H. H. Watson

On Foreign Relations:—

M.°. P.°. Bro.°. W. H. Wardrope

Ill.°. Bro.°. Arthur B. Wood

Ill.°. Bro.°. J. A. Dobbie

On the General State of the Rite:—

Ill.°. Bro.°. F. A. Copus

Ill.°. Bro.°. F. J. Burd

Ill.°. Bro.°. William Carswell

On Rituals and Ritualistic Matter:—

Ill.°. Bro.°. L. F. Riggs

Ill.°. Bro.°. J. A. Simpson

Ill.°. Bro.°. O. E. Stanton

On Returns:—

Ill.°. Bro.°. James Mackie

Ill.°. Bro.°. C. L. Ells

Ill.°. Bro.°. C. McL. Pitts

On Dispensations and Charters:—

Ill.°. Bro.°. Jabez Miller

Ill.°. Bro.°. Reginald F. Wright

Ill.°. Bro.°. J. McKnight

The labours of Supreme Council being ended, the Chain of Union was formed, and the Supreme Council was closed by Ill.°. Bro.°. J. H. Winfield at 1.00 P.M.



J. M. Shuraich



Sovereign Grand Commander



J. A. Anderson



Grand Secretary-General, H.°.E.°.

ROYAL ORDER OF SCOTLAND

Following the Wednesday luncheon, the Provincial Grand Lodge of the Royal Order of Scotland was convened in Special Assembly, advantage being taken of the attendance at Supreme Council of the Provincial Grand Masters of New Brunswick, Quebec, British Columbia and Alberta, and the Past Provincial Grand Master of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. A number of Active and Honourary Members of the Supreme Council were present and the degrees of the Order were conferred upon the following Illustrious Brethren:

Axel Herbert Knutson, 33°, Port Arthur, Ontario,
Walter Hall Russell, 33°, Port Arthur, Ontario,
Arthur Disraeli Lumsden, 33°, Hamilton, Ontario.

The Assembly was honoured by the attendance of M.°. P.°. Bro.°. John Henry Cowles, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., and M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Melvin Maynard Johnson, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A.

The meeting was unique in the annals of the Provincial Grand Lodge and the fellowship of the afternoon was greatly enjoyed.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

At the mid-day luncheon on Tuesday, the Acting Sovereign Grand Commander presided, and introduced M.°. P.°. Bro.°. John H. Cowles, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction, U. S. A., who responded briefly, after which the Most Rev. Derwyn T. Owen, 33°, Grand Prior, delivered a thoughtful and instructive address appropriate to the troubled times through which we are passing.

At the luncheon on Wednesday noon, Ill.°. Bro.°. Winfield introduced the newly-elected Sovereign Grand Commander, M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Douglas Gordon McIlwraith, who responded in graceful and well-chosen words, concluding by calling on the newly-crowned Active Members of Supreme Council, namely, Ill.°. Bro.°. James Alexander Simpson, Deputy for the Province of Ontario; Ill.°. Bro.°. Howard Brown Moore, Ill.°. Bro.°. William Carswell, and Ill.°. Bro.°. Clarence McLeod Pitts, who in turn responded in such terms as would presage that their advancement to the rank of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General would be a tower of strength to the Sovereign Body.

It having been learned that M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Cowles was leaving for Washington on the 7.15 train in the evening and, therefore, would not be present at the Banquet, the Chairman called upon him, and in his own inimitable way he expressed his appreciation of the courtesies tendered to him during his visit; also, his pleasure at being able to be present at the Annual Session of our Supreme Council and in meeting so many of his Canadian friends. He said he always enjoyed attending the meetings of our Supreme Council, and wished for Canadian Scottish Rite Masonry success in their future operations, and hoped to be privileged to attend their meetings in the future, as long as he might be spared to do so.

The Sovereign Grand Commander also introduced the newly coroneted Honourary Inspectors-General, in the persons of:

- Ill.°. Bro.°. Richard Coulton Berkinshaw,
Toronto, Ontario;
- Ill.°. Bro.°. Robert A. J. Curry,
Hamilton, Ontario;
- Ill.°. Bro.°. John Harold Cuddie,
Windsor, Ontario;

- Ill.°. Bro.°. Glenn Laverne Facey,
Hamilton, Ontario;
Ill.°. Bro.°. James Watts Hamilton,
Hamilton, Ontario;
Ill.°. Bro.°. Charles Hammond Martin,
Simcoe, Ontario;
Ill.°. Bro.°. Arthur Lorne Reid,
Niagara Falls, Ontario;
Ill.°. Bro.°. William Robert Simpson,
Vancouver, British Columbia.

On Wednesday evening the Scottish Rite Bodies of the Valley of Hamilton tendered a complimentary banquet to the members of Supreme Council and their ladies, and there were also present a large attendance of the members of the Valley and their ladies.

Ill.°. Bro.°. William H. Cooper, 33°, General Chairman of the Committee on Arrangements, occupied the chair. After the Invocation by the Right Rev. L. W. B. Broughall, 33°, the assembly enjoyed a sumptuous banquet, which reflected much credit on the efforts of the Scottish Rite Club. After toasts to The King and The President, of the United States, the chairman gave an address of welcome to the visitors.

Ill.°. Bro.°. Winfield introduced M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Douglas G. McIlwraith, who responded briefly, but still gracefully, and introduced the four new Active Members of Supreme Council before mentioned who, having no doubt exhausted their rhetorical powers at noon, acknowledged their warm reception with modest bows.

At this stage an adjournment was made and the assembly gathered in the Auditorium of the Cathedral, where a most enjoyable programme was rendered by Ill.°. Bro.°. Harry J. Allen, 32°, at the organ, Miss Olive Barlow Blakely, the Invincible Quartet, and the Kitchener Boys' Trumpet Band, the latter being particularly enjoyed as being a unique addition to a programme such as this.

The speaker of the evening was M.°. P.°. Bro.°. Melvin M. Johnson, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council, Northern Jurisdiction, U. S. A., his subject being:—

“FREEMASONRY’S PLACE IN THE
WORLD OF TODAY”

M.: P.: Bro.: Johnson is an eloquent and forceful speaker, and his address was listened to with wrapt attention. His audience must have been deeply impressed by his words, taking home much food for serious thought, with a realization of what Masonry has done and is doing for the good of mankind.

Ill.: Bro.: George H. Ross thanked the Illustrious Speaker very cordially for his inspiring address and, knowing that the 47th Anniversary of the wedding of M.: P.: Bro.: Johnson and Mrs. Johnson would take place the next day, presented Mrs. Johnson with a bouquet of roses, with the sincere wish that they would be long spared to celebrate many such happy anniversaries. At the moment of presentation the pianist unexpectedly added a most pleasing and appropriate touch by playing the opening bars of what is commonly known as “Here Comes the Bride”.

During the week the Ladies’ Committee was very active in entertaining the visiting ladies. On Monday evening a theatre party was held. On Tuesday they were motored to the Tamahaac Club for luncheon, and for a short scenic drive, and then back to the Royal Connaught Hotel. At 8.00 P.M. they assembled at the Scottish Rite Club and spent the evening at Bridge, adjourning to the Reception Room in the Cathedral for late supper about 10.30 P.M. On Wednesday they were conveyed by motor to the Preston Springs Hotel for luncheon, and from there to the country residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Simpson at Dundas for afternoon tea. This lovely home is situated on the mountain above the town, and affords a panoramic view of the Dundas Valley, the Town, the City of Hamilton in the distance, and the Lake beyond. The Banquet in the evening ended the festivities, and if the visiting ladies enjoyed the various functions as much as the Ladies’ Committee enjoyed entertaining them, they will feel amply repaid for their labours.



John Albert Rowland, 33^o

Sovereign Grand Commander

Alexander Fleming Copland Ross, 33^o

P. Vtut. Grand Commander

Stewart Coulter Burton, 33^o

Ill. Deputy for Saskatchewan

Edward Wackerhagen Hitchcock, 33^o

Frederick Hamilton Rutherford, 33^o

Harry Herbert Campkin, 33^o

Andrew McCreight Creery, 33^o

James Hastie Cowan, 33^o

Honourary Inspectors-General

of the

Supreme Council of Canada

**M.: P.: BRO.: JOHN ALBERT ROWLAND,
B.A., K.C., 33°**

Irreparable loss occurred when our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander entered into rest on the 18th day of April, 1942. In the life of our departed Brother Rowland is recognized one of the ablest and brightest examples which can be emulated by every member of our time-honoured Order which he so highly advanced and so signally aided to perfect.

He was born in the Township of Scott, in the County of Ontario, on the 18th day of February, 1875, of Irish ancestry. His early education was received in the Mount Albert Public School and the High Schools in Markham and Kincardine. He graduated from the University of Toronto in 1896 with honours in Classics and immediately became enrolled in the Law Society of Upper Canada. Two years later, he accepted a tutorship in Latin and Greek in the University of California. Returning to Toronto in 1899, he completed his Law course at Osgoode Hall. He was called to the Bar of Ontario in 1900 and, in the practice of Law, his chosen profession of which he was so justly proud and which he so highly honoured, he worked with an assurance and a dignity not soon to be forgotten. A well-earned reputation for integrity, assiduity, and keenness of intellect was rewarded in 1928 when he was appointed a King's Counsel.

His interests outside his chosen profession were extensive and varied and indicate his breadth of view and keen interest in life generally. His talents were exercised in the fields of Mortgage Corporations, Life Insurance, Trust Companies, Educational and Benevolent Institutions, and the sports of lawn bowling, golf and curling.

In 1935, he ceased the practice of Law to become General Manager of the Canada Permanent Trust Company. He subsequently became Joint General Manager of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation and a Vice-President of both Companies. His analytical judgment, broad experience, and wide knowledge of men and affairs proved of the utmost value, and he was at later dates elected President of the Trust Companies Association of Ontario and of the Dominion Mortgage and Investments Association.

He was a member of the Board of Regents of Victoria University and served as Treasurer for many years until forced to retire on account of failing health.

It was in Freemasonry, however, where his exceptional judgment and ability, and his modest, retiring disposition, his warm, sympathetic personality found their most responsive reception. From his Brethren in the Craft he received the highest offices in their gift.

In Craft Masonry, his interest commenced when he was initiated in Harmony Lodge in 1902. Seven years later, he was elected Worshipful Master. In 1916, he was elected District Deputy Grand Master of Toronto Centre District 11-B. In 1923, he was Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario and was elected Grand Master of that Grand Lodge in 1925. His keen interest in every phase of Masonic activity did not terminate with his retirement from this office. In 1933, he was elected Grand Treasurer of Grand Lodge and filled this office for eight years until ill health forced his retirement. For years, and until the time of his passing, he was the representative of the Grand Lodge of England and did much by the keen interest he took in the duties of his office to strengthen the bonds between our Grand Lodge and the Mother Grand Lodge.

His devotion to the Craft and his unfailing courtesy won for him the respect, admiration, and warm affection of all those with whom he was associated, which was evidenced by numerous honorary memberships in subordinate Masonic Bodies. He prized as by no means the least of the honours conferred upon him the fact that he was the first Master of Metropolitan Lodge and the tribute paid to his service to the Craft when Rowland Lodge in Mount Albert, his place of birth, was instituted.

In Capitular Masonry, he was a member of St. Paul's Royal Arch Chapter, and was signally honoured in 1933 by being raised to the rank of First Principal by special legislation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada.

In the Scottish Rite, he joined the Toronto Lodge of Perfection on January 14th, 1920, and eight years later was coroneted an Honourary Inspector-General, 33°. In 1929, he

was crowned a Sovereign Grand Inspector-General of the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Dominion of Canada. At the same time, he became the representative of the Supreme Councils of Ireland and of Turkey near this Supreme Council. From 1933 to 1937, he filled the office of Grand Treasurer-General. He was elected as Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander in 1934, and Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander in 1940, to which office he brought unusual talents. By his untimely death that office was made vacant.

He was admitted to membership in the Royal Order of Scotland in 1926.

In addition to his varied and numerous activities, he yet found time to devote himself unsparingly to the duties of citizenship, of which he always cherished the highest ideals.

His passing cast a gloom over the whole community in which he had lived and laboured. Following a private service for members of the immediate family circle, a public service was held in Timothy Eaton Memorial Church, attended by friends and acquaintances from every walk of life, in such numbers as to tax the capacity of the large edifice. This was a magnificent tribute to a man who had shunned publicity and fame. It was a significant token of the sincere affection of countless friends who admired in him those unusual qualities of heart and mind which he possessed in such generous measure. He had an unusual aptitude for making friends and keeping them. The roots of his nature reached out in search of friendly waters, and many and deep were the sources tapped.

The active pallbearers were close personal friends and business associates, while the honorary pallbearers were drawn from groups representing his financial, professional, educational and fraternal affiliations.

Those who knew him appreciated the depth of his religious faith and recognized in him one who sought light from sources older than the day, one who was interested only in activities that nourish the soul and make possible drinking from a diviner stream. Noble by God's patent, his creed was to promote the high and enduring purposes of life.

His contribution to Masonry in general, and to Grand Lodge and Supreme Council in particular, was a form of service that may be described as ready obedience to the dictates of the heart. Deep down in that warm and generous Irish nature was a love for his fellow-man, which was immediately recognized and reciprocated by all who were privileged to know him. The light of understanding burned brightly and unfailingly in his heart and enabled him to approach the problems of life with clarity and firmness, coupled with an unusual combination of gentleness, courtesy and, back of all, a saving sense of humour.

His high idealism, personal charm, disciplined thinking, and unfaltering integrity destined him to become a great leader of men. His life is a record of achievement — a challenge to all who follow him in the high offices which he filled with such dignity and distinction. Time will serve only to deepen the imprint of his character upon Masonry.

In his passing, we mourn the loss of a great leader, a devoted Mason, a loyal and lovable brother and a fine Christian gentleman.

As Freemasonry laments the passing of one of its most distinguished members, an irreparable loss is also sustained by the members of his family. To his wife, his son, his kith and kin, we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

*"Earth is the richer that he lived,
and Heaven that he died."*

G. H. R.

C. S. H.

**P.: BRO. ALEXANDER FLEMING
COPLAND ROSS, 33°**

By the death on December 20, 1941, of Alexander F. C. Ross, Montreal lost one of its outstanding citizens, and the Masonic Craft in Canada one of its most distinguished brethren.

P.:Bro. Alexander Fleming Copland Ross, 33°, was born in Montreal on January 23rd, 1870, and the whole of his life was spent in his native city. He was educated at Montreal High School and the Montreal Business College. In 1886 he joined the famed accountancy firm of P. S. Ross and Sons, which his father founded, and in 1890 became a partner.

The professional career of P.:Bro. Ross was noteworthy. He was a charter member of the Dominion Association of Chartered Accountants, and served that body in turn as Secretary, Vice-President and, in 1907-8, as President. He held various offices in the Society of Chartered Accountants of the Province of Quebec over a period of many years. He was Canadian Secretary of the Society of Incorporated Accountants and Auditors of England from 1905 until his death. In 1900 he was one of the Canadian delegates to the conference in the United States at which the Certified Public Accountants' Association was formed. In the general field of business and business associations P.:Bro. Ross was an impressive and influential personality.

To P.:Bro. Ross, Masonry had the deepest significance, and his fine and honourable life was a noble embodiment of the teachings in which he so profoundly believed. His devotion to the craft is evidenced by the mere recital of his Masonic career:

Initiated in Royal Albert Lodge, A. F. and A. M., No. 25, G. R. Q., February 13, 1905; raised October 23, 1905.

Installed Worshipful Master of his Lodge 1912, and served 1912-3.

Appointed D. D. G. M. Montreal District No. 1, G. R. Q., 1917-8.

Elected Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, February 1920, and served until his death.

Became a Member of Royal Albert Chapter, No. 8, G. C. Q., 1907.

Was the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario from 1932 until his death.

Received the 14° in Hochelaga Grand Lodge of Perfection, March 1, 1907.

Received the 18° in Hochelaga Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, April 16, 1908.

Received the 32° in Montreal Sovereign Consistory, March 25, 1912.

Grand Treasurer of the three Bodies from 1913 to 1927.

Most Wise Sovereign of Hochelaga Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, 1919—20.

Made an Honourary Member of the 33° on January 23, 1918, and was crowned an Active Member on October 27, 1921.

Served as Illustrious Deputy for the Province of Quebec from 1925 to 1940, and as Grand Chancellor of the Supreme Council from 1928 to 1940.

At time of his death held the office of Puissant Lieutenant Grand Commander of the Supreme Council.

Appointed Grand Representative of the Supreme Council 33° for England and Wales, 1937, serving until his death.

Made member of the Royal Order of Scotland, April 25, 1914, and at the time of his death held the office of Provincial Grand Senior Warden.

One of the great satisfactions of P. Bro. Ross' life was his election in October, 1940, as an Honourary Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec in recognition of his long period of service as Grand Treasurer.

The influence of Masonry is to be discerned in the manifold interests which attracted our departed Brother, to many

of which he gave a full measure of personal service and practical aid. He was a devout Churchman, and was identified with many charitable and constructive enterprises aimed towards public betterment. He was a Life Member and Governor of the Montreal General Hospital, Verdun Protestant Hospital, Montreal Y. M. C. A., Montreal Amateur Athletic Association, and the Caledonian Society.

But the absorbing interest of his life in the welfare field was the Montreal Sailors' Institute, of which also he was a Life Member. His father was one of the founders of the Institute in 1862. P. Bro. Ross joined the Board in 1897, and was Treasurer from 1898 until his death, except for a year in which he held the office of President. He sponsored many projects of magnitude in connection with the Institute, and generally for the promotion of welfare work among seamen plying into the great port of Montreal. His unsparing labours in this appealing and useful field of endeavour will have permanent effect, and will be long and gratefully remembered by seamen of many nations.

P. Bro. Ross is survived by his wife, the former Ada Wait, by three daughters, Mrs. Duncan MacEachran, Mrs. Hrolfe Zeigler, and Mrs. James Robinett, Jr., and by two sons, John A. Ross and Sgt. A. F. C. Ross, on active service overseas; also by three brothers, P. D. Ross of Ottawa, Major-General James G. Ross and Dr. John W. Ross, both of Montreal. He was extremely happy in his family life. Mrs. Ross will be affectionately remembered for her deep interest in her husband's Masonic activities, and for her gracious hospitality in connection with the various Masonic functions held in the city of Montreal.

Our departed Brother had many social interests. He was a member of the Mount Royal Club, the Montreal Club (of which he was chairman in 1911-12), the Canadian Club, and an Honourary Member of the Black Watch Royal Highlanders' Mess.

P. Bro. Ross was often to be seen in company with his twin brother, Dr. John W. Ross, to whom he bore so striking a resemblance as often to confuse even intimate friends. He was a man of firm convictions, inflexible principles, and strong character. In person he was tall, and carried an air

of natural distinction. His bearing was dignified, even somewhat austere, his manner, precise and formal. These characteristics, however, were but the veneer of a warm and benignant nature. They were far from being either harsh or forbidding, for they were softened by a native charm, an innate grace, and a quick and comprehending smile, that immediately attracted all who met him, and gave at once the true impression of deep capacities for loyal and abiding friendships. He had a rare gift of humour, often expressed in an unusual talent for writing verse; the pungent rhymes with which he so often regaled his Masonic Brethren will be long and delightfully remembered. His domestic life was ideal, and his home reflected scholarly pursuits and cultured tastes. Perhaps his most marked attribute was constancy — constancy in his interests, his recreations, his friendships, and his affections.

The funeral of P.'.Bro. Ross was held in St. Andrew's United Church, Westmount, with which he had long been connected as a member and office-bearer. The ceremony drew manifestations of regard and sympathy from all classes of the community to which he had for more than fifty years given exalted and ennobling service. The grief of his much loved wife and family will be tempered by the knowledge that their sorrow is widely and sincerely shared.

P.'.Bro. Ross' life was an expression of the principles of the Craft to whose service and advancement he contributed so much. In his passing, we lose an honoured brother; his community, a fine and worthy citizen.

A. B. W.

ILL. ∴ BRO. ∴ STEWART COULTER BURTON, 33°

Active Member of this Supreme Council and Illustrious Deputy for Saskatchewan, passed to the Grand Lodge above in the early morning hours of December 30th, 1941. Though for some years he had suffered ill health, his death came as a shock to the community which he had so long served and graced.

Born in Lindsay, Ontario, June 8th, 1877, of English-Irish parentage, he spent his youth in Midland where his secondary education was obtained. Moving with his parents to Rat Portage in 1892 he there entered the business career in which he continued throughout life, first in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway; then from 1907 in Regina as manager of a large wholesale grocery firm and latterly as representative of the Provincial Government as General Manager of Saskatchewan Co-Operative Creameries, the largest manufacturer of butter in Canada. In addition he was director of several large commercial concerns operating throughout the Province. With his keen business sense, sound judgment, eminent fair mindedness and sterling integrity he developed into one of the outstanding executives of Western Canada.

In 1909 he married Helen Dalrymple Pope, who survives, together with their sons, Alexander and Richard Maxwell, and a grandson, Stewart Nels. He was a man of strong family affections, a kind husband, good father and loyal friend, unassuming and intensely sympathetic but with a reserve which hid a warm heart.

Throughout life Brother Burton was a faithful member of the Anglican Church.

So long as health permitted he gave generously of his time and talent to civic and community service. After serving as alderman for four years he was elected mayor for two terms and as Regina's first citizen filled the office with dignity and efficiency. During the years he was President of the Board of Trade; Chairman of the General Hospital Board; member of the Library Board; the Sinking Fund Trustees; the Exhibition Board; the Association in Aid of the Blind and the Society for the Prevention and Cure of

Cancer, to all of which he made important contributions. He was indeed a public-spirited citizen.

For many years a member of Rotary and Assiniboia Clubs, his social contacts were wide and varied. In earlier years he was an ardent oarsman, then a golfer, but latterly, owing to impaired vision, he found relaxation working in the beautifully kept grounds of his home and in fishing or on the waters of the historic Qu'Appelle Lake by which his summer cottage nestled. He was ever of a studious turn of mind, conservative and philosophic.

Brother Burton's Masonic career was equally distinguished. Descended from Masonic stock he early showed interest in the mystic art and was initiated in Lake of the Woods Lodge, No. 445, G. R. C., in 1907; affiliated with Assiniboia Lodge, No. 49, G. R. S., 1911; Life Member 1926; charter member of Emulation Lodge, No. 186, G. R. S., and its W. M. in 1928. In Grand Lodge he was elected member of the Board of General Purposes in 1928; served on its various committees with particular distinction as chairman of the Finance Committee; was elected Grand Junior Warden in 1935, advancing through the several chairs until 1938 when he was installed as M. W. Grand Master.

In the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite he was initiated in Regina Lodge of Perfection in 1914; T.P.G.M. in 1918; member of the first class of Regina Chapter of Rose Croix; member of the Manitoba Consistory, and later an honorary life member of that body and of all bodies of the Rite in Saskatchewan. On the formation of Saskatchewan Consistory in 1919 he was installed First Lieutenant-Commander and in due course served as Commander-in-Chief. In 1925 he was coroneted Honourary Inspector-General 33° and in 1926 appointed Acting Special Deputy of Supreme Council. In 1928 he was crowned Sovereign Grand Inspector-General 33° and elected Ill. Deputy for the Province, continuing as such until his death. He was a member of the Royal Order of Scotland and Past Potentate of Wa Wa Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S. Scottish Rite Freemasonry owes much to his faithful, patient and inspiring leadership. He often said that "Honours demand compensating service." By his unselfish service he well repaid Freemasonry for honouring him. He was beloved by all the Brethren. The bitterest disappointment he ever suffered was on the occasion of the meeting of Supreme Council

in Regina in 1941 when through illness he was unable to assume his rightful place as host to the distinguished visitors. He had such high hopes for the vitalizing of the Rite in Saskatchewan through that visit and such keen anticipation of sharing in the meetings that when he could not attend it seemed almost too much to bear.

But he took it with the same undaunted spirit that was characteristic of the man and with which he met the grim reaper.

The funeral services were held at St. Paul's Anglican Church, the Rector, Bro. Canon Lee, officiating, assisted by The Venerable Archdeacon Irwin, P. G. M., and Bro. Knowles, Lord Bishop of Qu'Appelle. The Masonic funeral was under the Charter of Emulation Lodge and the graveside rites were conducted by M. W. the Grand Master, C. P. Seeley, of Saskatoon. Six brethren of the 33° acted as honorary pallbearers and a large body of brethren from near and far attended to pay their last tribute to departed worth. And so, as the last rays of light faded on the old year, we left him sleeping.

*"And all is well, tho' faith and form
Be sundered in the night of fear
Well roars the storm to those that hear
A deeper Voice across the storm."*

D. F.



ILL. BROS. EDWARD WACKERHAGEN HITCHCOCK, 33°

**ILL.: BRO.: EDWARD WACKERHAGEN
HITCHCOCK, 33°**

In the passing of Ill. Bro. Edward W. Hitchcock, Sault Ste. Marie has lost one of its most estimable citizens and Freemasonry one of its most valued and able members.

He was born at Chicago, Ill., February 6th, 1877, and passed away on October 22nd, 1941.

His early education was received in the Public, High and Manual Training schools of Chicago where he lived until October, 1901, when he came to Sault Ste. Marie and entered the employ of the Lake Superior Corporation. At the time of his death he was General Storekeeper of the Algoma Steel Corporation, the principal subsidiary of that Corporation.

He was always interested in sports and in early life was outstanding as a baseball shortstop and was a lacrosse player of note. In later life he was equally noted as a curler and was active in the local curling club, of which he was Secretary-Treasurer for many years up to one year of his death. He was also interested in golf, being a charter member of the Sault Ste. Marie Country Club and the Algoma Golf Club.

He was also interested in the municipal life of this city, representing Ward One as Alderman of the City Council for three years just prior to his death. As Alderman he served as chairman of the Fire Committee, Reception and Recreation and the Property Committees.

It was, however, in Fraternal organizations where he was most active and interested. He became a member of Arthur Lodge, I. O. O. F., April 8, 1908, of which Lodge he was Master in 1910, and became a member of the Grand Encampment May 7, 1912.

It is in Masonry, however, where his kindly personality and his faithful devotion to service will be mostly missed. I cannot do better than to simply enumerate his various Masonic activities to illustrate the void his passing creates.

Craft Masonry

Joined Algoma Lodge, No. 469, April 15, 1912.

Served as Worshipful Master of Algoma Lodge in 1920.

Capitular Masonry

Joined Algonquin Chapter, No. 102, May 16, 1913.
First Principal Algonquin Chapter in 1920.
Grand Superintendent, New Ontario, No. 15, in 1938.
Grand Representative of Saskatchewan at the Grand
Chapter of Canada.

Knights Templar

Joined Gibson Preceptory, No. 39, October 12, 1916.
Presiding Preceptor of Gibson Preceptory 1922, 1931 and
at the time of his death, 1941.
Provincial Grand Prior of Algoma District 1932-33.

Shrine

Joined Mocha Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S., London, December 6, 1916.

A. & A.S.R.

Joined Lodge of Perfection September 19, 1913.
Joined Chapter of Rose Croix September 1, 1914.
Most Wise Sovereign 1921-22.
Registrar, Chapter of Rose Croix 1927 to time of his
death.
Joined Moore Sovereign Consistory April 30, 1926.
Received degree of Honourary Inspector-General 33° of
of the Supreme Council, October 4, 1932, at Saint
John, New Brunswick.

He has passed away but is still bound to us with thoughts of love, friendship and mutual respect. We pay tribute to his life and reverence to his memory.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Hitchcock and her four daughters, Mrs. Nault of Port Arthur, and Mrs. Bellmore, Misses Charlotte and Grace Hitchcock of this city.

He was buried with Masonic honours at Sault Ste. Marie, October 25, 1941, attended by his many sorrowing brethren and fellow citizens.

H. F. G.



ILL. BROS. FREDERICK HAMILTON RUTHERFORD, 33°

**ILL.·. BRO.·. FREDERICK HAMILTON
RUTHERFORD, 33°**

passed away suddenly at his residence in Hamilton on Friday, November 7th, 1941. Ill. Bro. Rutherford was at his office in the morning and collapsed in the afternoon from a severe heart attack. His demise was a great shock to his family and friends throughout Canada.

Because of his active interest in such a wide field of civic and community organizations, an unusually large number of his associates will feel the loss of a true friend and a great and inspiring personality. His untiring energy and keen understanding touched military, social service, church, business and fraternal activities with lasting imprints upon all of them. In each one his enthusiasm and leadership carried his fellow workers along with him to achievement and success. Whatever he undertook to do was done well and done quickly, for he was efficient and thorough. But he was at the same time modest and generous and never failed to give credit to others. All those who worked with him felt the warmth of his praise and gratitude. His kind thoughtfulness for others sweetened all the contacts of his daily life. His unhidden joy of living, his quick wit and love of fun made his companionship a delight to those who were privileged to share it.

Ill. Bro. Rutherford was born in the city of Hamilton, August 17th, 1876, of Irish parentage. After matriculating from the old Hamilton Collegiate Institute, he taught school for some years. He showed an early taste for army life and in the year 1898 took the long course at Stanley Barracks, passing first in his class. He later took the field course with the Royal Canadian Regiment as a sergeant and in 1899 served as instructor at London and Niagara-on-the-Lake Camps. As a sergeant with the 2nd R.C.R.'s, 1st Canadian Contingent, he went to South Africa and fought through the campaigns in 1899 and 1900. During the Great War he served as Major and Company Commander in the 173rd Battalion, Canadian Highlanders, C.E.F., from 1915 to 1917.

Before joining the B. Greening Wire Company in 1920 as Works Manager, Bro. Rutherford was Secretary and Superintendent of the Hamilton Cemetery Board for 19 years and served as President of both the Association of Cemetery Super-

intendents of America and the Canadian Cemetery Superintendents' Association. For two years Bro. Rutherford was vice-president of the Hamilton Rotary Club.

Music was one of his relaxations and at one time he was soloist in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at Windsor.

As Works Manager and Superintendent of the B. Greening Wire Company for the past twenty-one years, he was an outstanding success and will be greatly missed. His executive ability and fair judgment kept that large industrial concern operating smoothly and without friction all these years. The plant was closed during the time of his funeral as a mark of respect and large delegations from the different departments attended in a body. The veterans of the plant formed a guard of honour while his casket lay in state in the Scottish Rite Cathedral.

He was a Past President of the Industrial Accident Prevention Association of Ontario and was very energetic in all their activities to prevent loss of life or limb.

A life-long member of Central Presbyterian Church, he had served faithfully and well as Chairman of the Board of Managers, Clerk of the Session, Elder and Trustee of the Church. He was in his pew regularly every Sunday.

His chief relaxation was Masonry. Initiated in St. John's Lodge, No. 40, in 1902, becoming Worshipful Master in 1916 while on Active Service preparing to go overseas. His ability as a ritualist was recognized by the Craft near and far.

His outstanding career in the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite commenced in 1905. He was Most Wise Sovereign of Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix 1930 to 1932 and was Treasurer of the Chapter at the time of his passing. All Rose Croix degrees owe much to his inspiring and tireless efforts as director and critic, as anything less than perfection failed to satisfy him. His dramatic ability was displayed in a number of the degrees of the Rite but particular reference should be made to his never-to-be-forgotten part in the 31st and 32nd degrees. His portrayal of the leading character in this thrilling drama is too well known to all Consistory members to need further comment here.

The Supreme Council recognized his worth and influence by calling him to Honourary membership in 1936.

He received the degrees of the Royal Order of Scotland in 1928 and was Grand Marischal of the Provincial Grand Lodge at the time of his death.

In 1905 he married Miss Clara Dressel, who predeceased him in 1938. Surviving are two sons, Ralph H. and Frederick J. of Hamilton; three daughters, Jean and Clare at home and Mrs. Eric Smit of Montreal.

Mourning brethren and friends filled the beautiful Scottish Rite Cathedral at Hamilton where the funeral service was held on Monday afternoon, November 10th. A solemn and impressive service was conducted by the Very Reverend Dr. William Barclay. A piper of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders played a lament as the casket left the Cathedral and after the committal service at Hamilton Cemetery, piped the Crusaders' March.

*A Mason true and good, sincere in friendship,
ready in relief, discreet in trusts, faithful
in brotherhood, gentle in sympathy, kind
in grief.*

RESURGET.

E. B. T.



ILL. BRO. HARRY HERBERT CAMPKIN, 33°

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In his sudden passing in Regina on Wednesday, November 19th, 1941, another link with the pioneer days of the West was broken, for in the settlement and opening up of this new land and in the establishment here of church, school, Freemasonry and all institutions for community service Ill. Bro. Campkin played a founder's part.

He was born on September 6, 1869, at Melbourne, Cambridgeshire, England, where his public school education and some business experience were gained. With his parents he migrated in 1884 to Indian Head, then in the North West Territories, residing there until 1912. During those years he taught school, clerked, and latterly operated an Insurance Agency. In 1912 he established a similar business in Regina and in 1917 became Secretary of the Canadian Hail Underwriters' Association, which position he occupied until his death.

As a leading citizen of Indian Head he was active in the upbuilding of the town, organizing its Board of Trade, hospital, telephone exchange, serving on the Council and on the vestry of the Anglican Church from the foundation of the Parish. In Regina, likewise, he promptly became prominent in civic affairs, serving as alderman and as director of the Board of Trade, the General Hospital and the Horticultural Society, and as Honorary Secretary of the Diocese of Qu'Appelle. In 1906 he acted on a Royal Commission to recommend legislation for the establishment of municipal government in the new Province.

From 1914 to 1917 he served as Lieutenant in the 20th Company, C. A. S. C., making a very useful contribution to that branch of the service.

He was a great lover of the beautiful and horticulture became his chief hobby. He won many cups and trophies for his flowers and grounds and his garden was one of the beauty spots of the Province.

On September 7th, 1892, he married Ida A. Lee who, with a son and two daughters, survives him.

Harry Herbert Campkin was initiated in Indian Head Lodge, No. 33, G. R. Manitoba, October 24th, 1890. He

served the Lodge as Worshipful Master in 1894 and on the fiftieth anniversary of his initiation presided at its regular meeting. From 1897 to 1905, when he was elected Deputy Grand Master, he occupied various offices in the Grand Lodge of Manitoba and in 1910 was elected as Honourary Past Grand Master of that Grand body. In 1906, through the initiative of a small group of enthusiastic Freemasons, of which he was a leader, the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan was formed and on August 9th, 1906, he was elected its first Grand Master and was re-elected in 1907. M.W. Bro. Campkin was thus the Dean of Past Grand Masters in this Grand jurisdiction. For many years he served faithfully on important Committees of Grand Lodge and Saskatchewan Freemasonry is particularly indebted to his foresight and vision in founding its Benevolent Fund by donating to that cause the allowance for travelling expenses voted him as Grand Master. Mere words can never adequately express the contribution he made to the growth of Freemasonry during a period of over half a century.

In the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite he was equally prominent and bore the proud distinction of being the founder of the several bodies and the Dean of Thrice Puissant Grand Masters in Saskatchewan. He received the several degrees of Perfection, Rose Croix and Consistory in the Winnipeg bodies in 1897, 1898 and 1903 respectively. With the establishment of the Rite here, in recognition of his services, he was, on October 23rd, 1912, coroneted Honourary Inspector General 33° at Montreal by Sir John M. Gibson. From 1916 to 1919 he acted as Special Deputy for Saskatchewan.

Ill. Bro. Campkin had a rare dramatic gift and throughout the years gave many delightful interpretations of the principal parts in the several degrees and inspiring renditions of the lectures and ceremonies. He was a master ritualist. On October 29th, 1941, only a few days before his passing and on the evening of the very day when his doctors had told him his fate, which he had then not disclosed to even his most intimate friends, he portrayed the role of Prince Commander in the Constans drama 32°. The brethren who were privileged to witness that dramatic scene will never forget the dignity, solemnity and depth of feeling with which, with hands uplifted, he uttered the closing prayer, which to him must have been prophetic,

“Constans, Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret!
Lead us, too, beyond the veil where we may see face
to face.”

We were deeply stirred, though we little dreamed how soon
he, too, was destined to solve the mystery.

He was ever a true and gallant gentleman; a brave soul
and a buoyant spirit.

On November 21st a religious service was conducted in
Regina at which Venerable Archdeacon Irwin, P.G.M., offi-
ciated, assisted by Bro. Knowles, Lord Bishop of Qu'Appelle.
The following day his funeral was held at Indian Head under
the Charter of his mother lodge, the Masonic rites being con-
ducted by R.W. Bro. Douglas Fraser, 33°, Deputy Grand
Master, assisted by other Grand Lodge officers. An unusu-
ally heavy snow fall had blocked all highways and the group
of mourners was restricted to his relatives and intimate friends.
It was indeed fitting that nature should dominate this final
scene for it was as a great lover of nature in her varying
moods that he often voiced his favorite quotation:

“And thus our life, exempt from public haunts,
Finds tongues in trees,
Books in the running brooks,
Sermons in stones,
And good in everything.”

And thus the Great Gardener at His appointed time, trans-
planted him.

*Why weep we then for him, who having won
The bound of man's appointed years, at last,
Life's blessings all enjoyed, life's labour done,
Serenely to his final rest has passed.*

DOUGLAS FRASER.

*We thank thee for the sacrifice
Of daring men of old,
For faith to cross uncharted seas,
For dreams to make men bold;
For saintly men and pioneers,
For all who served their age,
And left for us who follow on
A sacred heritage.*



ILL. · BRO. · ANDREW McCREIGHT CREERY, 33°

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Born in Ardglass, County Down, Ireland, June 2nd, 1863.
Died in Vancouver, B.C., February 14th, 1942.

On his way to Victoria to attend a meeting of the Order of The Red Cross of Constantine; suddenly was summoned to answer the call of the grim messenger. Ill. Bro. Ditmars was with him at the time and gave every aid and assistance but nothing could be done and so passed one of the most beloved and esteemed Freemasons in British Columbia.

Bro. Creery was educated at Foyle College, Londonderry, and Trinity College, Dublin. He came to Vancouver in the year 1890, engaged in private banking and afterwards in the insurance business, in which he continued until his death.

In 1924 he was elected to the Provincial Legislature, where he served during one Parliament.

Always interested in Church work, Bro. Creery for forty years was a member of the Diocesan Synod. He was Diocesan Treasurer at the time of his death, a position he had held for forty years, and was elected a number of times to serve on the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada.

Bro. Creery married in 1891 and raised a family of five sons and one daughter. His wife and daughter died a few years ago.

He was a member of Vancouver and Jericho Clubs and Union Club at Victoria. Closely associated with sports he played on the cricket and rugby teams in Vancouver in early days. A prominent member of Vancouver Board of Trade, he was given the honour of a life membership last year.

Initiated into Freemasonry in Cascade Lodge, Vancouver,
1895.

Charter member Western Gate Lodge, Vancouver, 1908.
Master Western Gate Lodge 1913.

Hon. Member of Zenith-Mount Moriah and Mount Lebanon Lodges.

Elected Grand Master British Columbia 1922.

First Principal Vancouver R. A. Chapter, No. 98, 1908.
Grand Superintendent, District No. 16, Royal Arch
Masons, 1908.

Admitted A. and A. Scottish Rite 1919.

T.P.G.M. Vancouver Lodge Perfection 1928.

M.W.S. Vancouver Chapter of Rose Croix 1931.

1st Lieut. Commander of B.C. Consistory at the time of
his death.

Coroneted Hon. 33° London, Ontario, 1936.

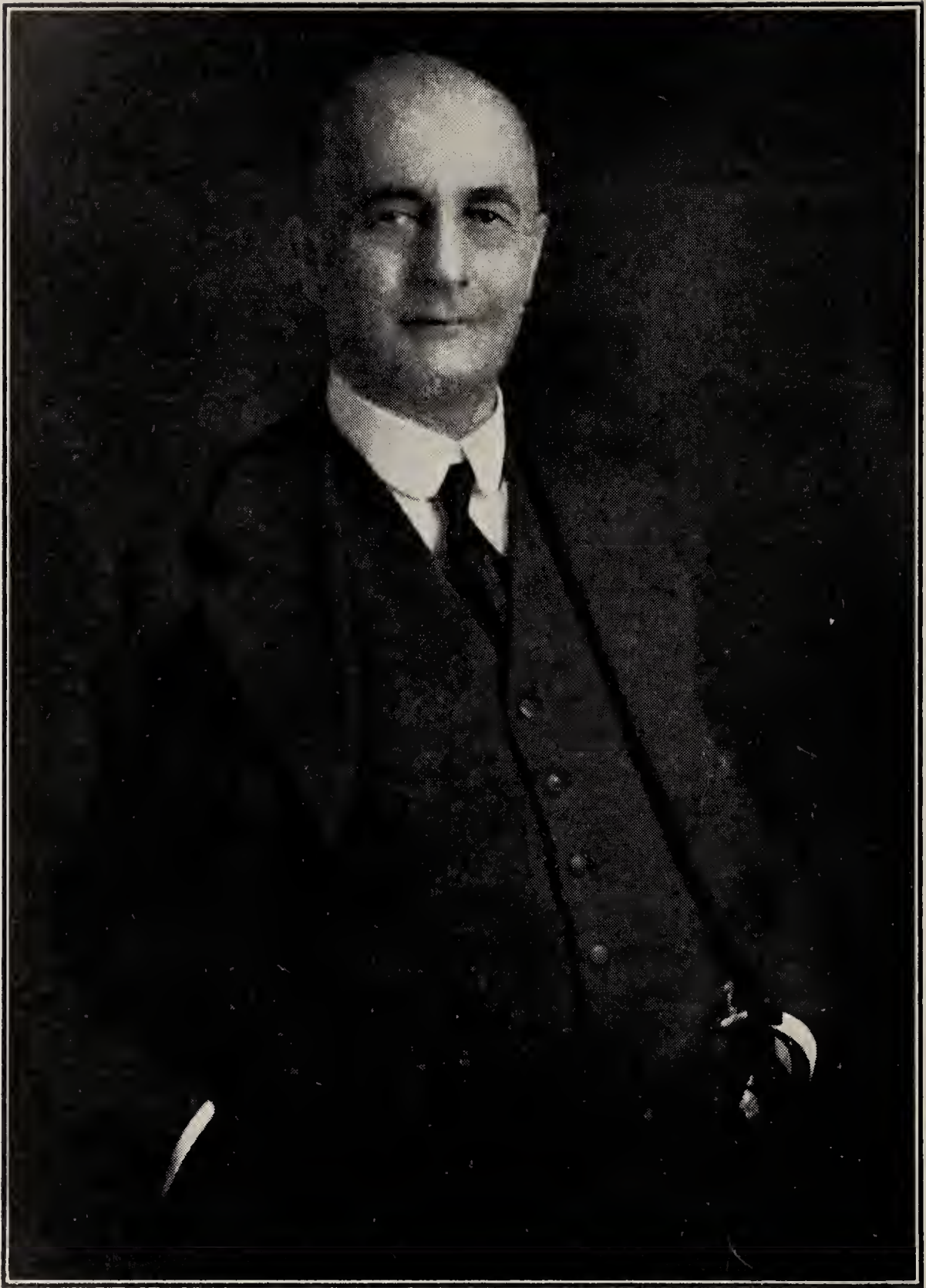
Knight of Rome and Red Cross of Constantine.

Office in Provincial Grand Lodge, Royal Order Scotland.

He had five sons in the great war, two of them did not return. His youngest son, Wallace, is an officer in the Navy in this war. Kenneth is in business in Montreal and Leslie in Vancouver.

Farewell to a good man and a true Freemason. He belonged among the true pioneers of Vancouver and his passing is like the removal of a friendly and familiar landmark. He served with honour and distinction in the community life of the growing City and nowhere will he be missed so much as in our Masonic Lodges where he was a constant attendant. Scholar, sportsman, Freemason, and always a kind and considerate gentleman.

H. H. W.



ILL. BRO. JAMES HASTIE COWAN, 33°

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After ill health for two years or more and confinement to his home for about five months, Ill. Bro. Cowan passed to his eternal reward on Sunday, May 17th, 1942.

Ill. Bro. Cowan was born February 2nd, 1872, in the township of Waterloo, near Galt, of Scotch parentage. Having been raised on the farm, he attended the county public schools and afterwards, for a two-year period, pursued his education at the Galt Collegiate Institute. This was followed by three years at the Ontario Agricultural College, at Guelph, from which institution he graduated in 1891 with the degree of B.Sc.

After a short period on his father's farm he became associated in 1893 with Cowan & Co., of Galt, manufacturers of wood working machinery, engines, boilers, etc. During the first two years of his connection with the firm, he served in the office and as travelling salesman, making Montreal his headquarters for part of this period.

When Cowan & Co. became chartered as a joint stock company, he became Secretary-Treasurer and Manager of the Corporation, which position he held to the date of his death. Owing to his long experience, Bro. Cowan was thoroughly conversant with every phase of the wood working industry and enjoyed a very wide and profitable acquaintance with its leaders throughout the Dominion. While reserved in his social and business manner, he was ever alert to take advantage of all proper opportunities to widen his acquaintance and add to the number of his friends and so to gain the respect and confidence of an ever increasing body of customers and associates.

In short, he enjoyed and deserved the reputation of a capable and honest man and thus naturally profited by his business and social contacts.

In 1906 he married Mary Elizabeth Taylor, who, with one son, survives him; the son, William James, being now connected with his late father's firm. He is also survived by three brothers and one sister, one of these brothers also being actively connected with the firm of Cowan & Co., Ltd.

While Bro. Cowan at all times gave careful and close attention to business, he yet did not falter or fail in his duty as a citizen, being actively interested in all movements for the betterment of his city and country. For many years he served on the Board of the Galt Hospital Trust and presided as its president for more than ten years. As a member of Knox Presbyterian Church, he was on the Board of Managers for a long period and later became a member of the Session of that church.

His club affiliations consisted of membership in the Galt Curling Club and in the Scottish Rite clubs in Preston and in Hamilton.

The history of his Masonic career is a long and honorable one. On May 20th, 1903, he received his Master Mason's Degree in Galt Lodge, No. 257. On November 11th, 1904, he received the Royal Arch Degree in Waterloo Chapter, No. 32, Galt.

On October 26th, 1921, he joined the ranks of Scottish Rite Masons, receiving on that date his 14th Degree in Royal City Lodge of Perfection, Guelph.

He followed on by completing the Rose Croix Chapter Degrees on April 26th, 1922, in Guelph Chapter. A little better than one year later, on July 30th, 1923, he received his 32nd Degree in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton; while at Edmonton, Alta., on September 13th, 1929, he was honoured by being made an Honorary Inspector General, 33°.

That Bro. Cowan loved the fraternity and gave of his time and talents for the advancement of its interest is evidenced by the fact that he was honoured by his election to several important offices, as follows:—

During 1907 and 1908 he presided as Worshipful Master of Galt Lodge, No. 257, while during the term 1914-15, he served as D.D.G.M. of Wellington District, No. 7.

In 1911 he was elected as First Principal of Waterloo Chapter, No. 32, Galt, and the following year became District Superintendent of Wellington District, No. 4, R.A.M.

In addition, on December 30th, 1915, he was appointed Grand Representative of Florida in the Grand Chapter of Canada, Royal Arch Masons. As a ritualist he was thorough and impressive, as many who have been sufficiently fortunate as to have Masonic Knowledge imparted to them by him will testify.

Thus did Bro. Cowan serve long and faithfully in different branches of his beloved fraternity, never neglecting any opportunity to prove his zeal for the promulgation of its doctrines and for the inculcation of the true spirit of the institution within the hearts and minds of the brethren.

His funeral service, strictly private in character, as per Bro. Cowan's expressed wish, was held at the Little Funeral Home, Galt, Rev. M. B. Davidson, D.D., being the minister in charge.

The pallbearers were selected from among the deceased's close Masonic, Church and business associates, while representatives of the various branches of the fraternity were in attendance to pay their last respects to a brother who had run a worthy course and who had well earned his right to eternal peace and rest.

*There could be no morning
If there were no night;
If there were no sorrow,
Where would be delight?*

*There could be no pleasure
If there were no pain;
If there were no parting,
Could we meet again?*

W. M. O. L.

**Sovereign Grand Commanders of this Supreme Council
since its establishment in 1874.**

THOMAS DOUGLAS HARINGTON

Oct. 16, 1874, to Jan. 13, 1882

Died 13th January, 1882

WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON

Jan. 13, 1882, to Oct. 21, 1886

Died 9th October, 1893

JOHN VALENTINE ELLIS

Oct. 21, 1886, to Oct. 27, 1892

Died 10th July, 1913

JOHN WALTER MURTON

Oct. 27, 1892, to Oct. 23, 1898

Died 23rd October, 1898

ISAAC HENRY STEARNS

Oct. 26, 1898, to Oct. 27, 1904

Died 15th February, 1921

SIR JOHN MORISON GIBSON

Oct. 27, 1904, to Oct. 23, 1913

Oct. 26, 1922, to Oct. 25, 1923

Died 3rd June, 1929

BENJAMIN ALLEN

Oct. 23, 1913, to Oct. 23, 1919

Died 10th April, 1920

JOHN ALEXANDER CAMERON

Oct. 23, 1919, to Oct. 26, 1922

Oct. 25, 1923, to Oct. 8, 1925

Died 16th Dec., 1931

ALFRED FREDERICK WEBSTER

Oct. 8th, 1925, to Oct. 3rd, 1934

Died May 7th, 1938

WILLIAM HUGH WARDROPE

Oct. 3rd, 1934, to Oct. 2nd, 1940

April 19th, 1942, to October 7th, 1942

JOHN ALBERT ROWLAND

October 2nd, 1940, to April 18th, 1942

DOUGLAS GORDON MCILWRAITH

October 7th, 1942

SUPREME COUNCIL 33°

for the

DOMINION OF CANADA**GRAND ORIENT, MONTREAL, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC**

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Douglas G. McIlwraith, M.°.P.°.Sov.°.Grand Commander
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James H. Winfield, Ill.°.Grand Chancellor
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James Mackie, Ill.°.Deputy for Manitoba
Harry H. Watson, Ill.°.Deputy for British Columbia
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Douglas Fraser, Ill.°.Deputy for Saskatchewan
James A. Henderson, Ill.°.Grand Secretary-General, H.°.E.°.
Charles S. Hamilton, Ill.°.Grand Treasurer-General, H.°.E.°.
Most Rev. Derwyn T. Owen, Ill.°.Grand Prior
William J. Major, Ill.°.Grand Master of Ceremonies
John A. Dobbie, Ill.°.Grand Marshal
Harold T. Malcolmson, Ill.°.Grand Standard Bearer
Jabez Miller, Ill.°.Grand Captain of the Guard

SOVEREIGN GRAND INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33°

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Alexander McDougall, 1509 Sherbrooke St. W. Montreal, Quebec	Oct. 28, 1903.....	Oct. 26, 1910
James Henry Winfield Maritime Telegraph Co. Halifax, Nova Scotia	Oct. 22, 1913.....	Oct. 25, 1917
Lewis Frederick Riggs, D.D.S., 22 Summerhill Gardens Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 25, 1911.....	Jan. 23, 1918
Edward Ainslie Braithwaite, M.D., 10024—106th Street, Edmonton, Alberta	Oct. 25, 1911.....	Jan. 23, 1918
John McKnight, 8 Edgewood Crescent Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 25, 1906.....	Oct. 28, 1920
Jabez Miller, Birks-Dingwall Limited Winnipeg, Manitoba	Oct. 25, 1917.....	Oct. 26, 1922
William Hugh Wardrope, K.C. 35 Glenfern Ave. Hamilton, Ontario	Jan. 23, 1918.....	Oct. 8, 1925
Arthur Barton Wood, Sun Life Assurance Co. Montreal, Quebec	Oct. 22, 1919.....	Oct. 8, 1925
Douglas Gordon McIlwraith, M.D. 230 James St. South Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 7, 1925.....	Oct. 8, 1930
Harry Holgate Watson, 692 Seymour Street Vancouver, B.C.	Oct. 23, 1907.....	Oct. 8, 1930
William James Major, K.C., 155 Helmsdale Ave., East Kildonan, Man.	Oct. 7, 1930.....	Oct. 5, 1932

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	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Murdoch James Macleod 10318—100th Avenue Edmonton, Alberta	Oct. 4, 1927.....	Oct. 5, 1932
Oliver Edward Stanton, 60 Strathearn Avenue Montreal West, Quebec	Oct. 26, 1921.....	Oct. 5, 1932
John Albert Dobbie, M.D., 271 O'Connor Street Ottawa, Ontario	Oct. 7, 1925.....	Oct. 4, 1933
James Alexander Henderson, 4 Queen St. South Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 6, 1931.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Francis James Burd, "Vancouver Province" Vancouver, British Columbia	Oct. 22, 1913.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Most Reverend Derwyn Trevor Owen, 112 Howland Avenue Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 4, 1927.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Charles Stanton Hamilton, 302 Bay Street Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 24, 1924.....	Sept. 4, 1935
Frank Armitage Copus, Bank of Montreal Chambers Stratford, Ontario	Oct. 1, 1923.....	Sept. 4, 1935
James Mackie, 357 Langside Street Winnipeg, Manitoba	Oct. 7, 1925.....	Oct. 7, 1936
Charles Fenson Sanford, K.C., 40 Orange Street Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 4, 1927.....	Oct. 7, 1936
George Henry Ross, 38 King St. West Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 24, 1923.....	Oct. 5, 1938
Harold Thompson Malcolmson, 372 Queen St. South Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Sept. 13, 1939

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Charles Laurie Ells Kentville, N.S.	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 2, 1940
Douglas Fraser, B.A., (Oxon), K.C. 93 Leopold Crescent Regina, Sask.	Oct. 6, 1931.....	Oct. 2, 1940
Thomas Kingsmill Wade 159 Bay Street Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 8, 1941
Stuart Harman Lees 20 Gloucester Road Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 8, 1941
Reginald Francis Wright Box 640, Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 8, 1941
James Alexander Simpson, M.D., 206 James Street South, Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 7, 1942
Howard Brown Moore, 58 Chapin Crescent, Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 7, 1942
William Carswell, 669 Grosvenor Ave., Westmount, Que.....	Oct. 6, 1936.....	Oct. 7, 1942
Clarence McLeod Pitts, 349-A Elgin Street, Ottawa, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940.....	Oct. 7, 1942

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Walter Hammill Davis 241 Queen St. South Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 22, 1913.....	Oct. 27, 1921
George Davidson Ellis 80 Orange Street Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 2, 1928.....	Oct. 7, 1931
Walter Norris Duff 31 First Ave. W., North Bay, Ontario.....	Oct. 26, 1921.....	Oct. 25, 1928

HONOURARY INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33°

Name	Residence	Received 33°
Peter William Dumas Brodrick.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 28, 1909
George Thomas Bragg.....	Edmonton, Alta.....	Oct. 25, 1911
Frank McDonald Morgan.....	Vancouver, B.C.....	Oct. 25, 1911
James Scroggie.....	Victoria, B.C.....	Oct. 24, 1912
William Carey Ditmars.....	Vancouver, B.C.....	Oct. 22, 1913
Thomas Worthington Jull.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 25, 1917
James Clarence Jones.....	Halifax, N.S.....	Jan. 23, 1918
Edward James Barrow Duncan.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 22, 1919
James Edward Keays.....	London, Ont.....	Oct. 22, 1919
Albert Ernest Santo, D.D.S.....	London, Ont.....	Oct. 22, 1919
Griffith Russell Lloyd.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 23, 1919
Fred Symes.....	Fort William, Ont.....	Oct. 27, 1920
John Frederick Reid.....	Windsor, Ont.....	Oct. 27, 1920
John Leopold Culbert.....	Ottawa, Ont.....	Oct. 27, 1920
Edward Albert Olver.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 27, 1920
Edward Maxwell Walker.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Oct. 27, 1920
John Taylor Webb.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Oct. 27, 1920
James McCauley.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.....	Oct. 27, 1920
William Bickell Scace.....	Brantford, Ont.....	Oct. 26, 1921
Donald Clark, D.D.S.....	Grimsby, Ont.....	Oct. 26, 1921
Edward Jenner McCleery.....	Ottawa, Ont.....	Oct. 26, 1921
Hubert Carroll McBride.....	London, Ont.....	Oct. 26, 1921
William Bradshaw Tate.....	Regina, Sask.....	Oct. 26, 1921
Alfred Edwin Goodman.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 26, 1921
William Mayne McCombe.....	Montreal, Que.....	Oct. 25, 1922
George Nelson Jackson.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Oct. 25, 1922
Arthur William Chapman.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Oct. 25, 1922
William Masey Gordon.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Oct. 25, 1922
James MacMurray.....	Saint John, N.B.....	Oct. 25, 1922
William Roland Breyfogle.....	Peterborough, Ont.....	Oct. 25, 1922
Charles Edward Wheeler.....	London, Ont.....	Oct. 25, 1922
Walter Elwood Cumming.....	Parry Sound, Ont.....	Oct. 24, 1923
William Fenwick.....	Brandon, Man.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Thomas Frederick English.....	Calgary, Alta.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Edward Thomas Bishop, B.A., LL.B.....	Edmonton, Alta.....	Oct. 24, 1923
James Walter Hedley, M.A., Ph.D.....	Regina, Sask.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Norman Francis Patterson.....	S. S. Marie, Ont.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Percival John Lee.....	Detroit, Mich.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Arthur Wellington Smith.....	Barrie, Ont.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Frank Kittson Ebbitt.....	Iroquois Falls, Ont.....	Oct. 24, 1923
Alexander Hamilton McKee, B.A.....	Ottawa, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1924

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Frank James Maw.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Harrip Charles Tugwell.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
James Wellington White.....	Huntsville, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
DeForest Charles Patmore.....	Orillia, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Robinson T. Orr.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Horace Philip Reid.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 1, 1924
Herman Samuel King.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Rev. Peter Thomas Pilkey, M.A.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 7, 1925
Edward Bruce Fowler.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Percy Gerald Cadogan Campbell.....	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Joseph Austin Evans, M.D.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Albert Philip Louis Goering.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Llewellyn Frederick Stephens, B.A., LL.B., K.C.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Frederick Royden Bennetto, M.D.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
James Clark MacGregor.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Wm. Merton Overton Lohead, M.A.....	Kitchener, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Ewen Stewart Macphail.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Walter Hall Russell, A.B., LL.B.....	Port Arthur, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Axel Herbert Knutson.....	Port Arthur, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
William Ira Clark.....	Alliston, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Niven Mowry Jackson.....	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 7, 1925
John Henry Spooner.....	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 7, 1925
Richard Evans Davis.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1926
John Hamilton Gordon Russell.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 6, 1926
Alfred Henry Baker.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1927
Robert John Sprott, D.D.S.....	Barrie, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1927
Charles Howland Crandon.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 4, 1927
William Silson Park.....	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 4, 1927
Robert James Westgate.....	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1928
William Melville Martin, B.A.....	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1928
James Chisholm, M.A., LL.B.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1928
Dufferin Turnbull Williamson.....	Brantford, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1928
John Alexander McRae, M.A., Ph.D.....	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1928
Robert John Robinson.....	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1928
Samuel Vila.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
David Askwith Esdale.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
Robert Barclay Pow.....	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
Elliott Cedric Alvin Crawford, M.D.....	Madoc, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
Charles Gordon Kirkpatrick, M.D.....	Orillia, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
Frank Sumner McKee.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 13, 1929
Alexander Jaffray.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1930
Oscar Heuman King, B.A., LL.B.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1930
Roderick Bernard Dargavel.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1931

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Frank Avery Millard, M.D.....	Walkerville, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1931
Rev. Malcolm Arthur Campbell, D.D.	Montreal, Que.....	Oct. 6, 1931
George Clarence Davis.....	Montreal, Que.....	Oct. 6, 1931
McLaren Ewart, B.Sc.....	Regina, Sask.....	Oct. 6, 1931
Horace Fawcett Goodfellow, D.D.S. S. S. Marie, Ont.....		Oct. 4, 1932
Walter Stevens Herrington, B.A.....	Napanee, Ont.....	Oct. 4, 1932
Rev. Charles Elmer Kenny, B.A.....	Guelph, Ont.....	Oct. 4, 1932
Benjamin Foss Nott, D.D.S.....	North Bay, Ont.....	Oct. 4, 1932
William John Patterson.....	Newmarket, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1932
Rt. Rev. John MacKenley, D.D.....	Halifax, N.S.....	Oct. 4, 1932
Reginald Vanderbilt Harris, K.C.....	Halifax, N.S.....	Oct. 4, 1932
Charles Edward McManus.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 3, 1933
John Babington Macaulay Baxter.....	Saint John, N.B.....	Oct. 3, 1933
Laughlin Mabon MacKinnon.....	Montague, P.E.I.....	Oct. 3, 1933
John Robert Charles Evans, B.A.....	Brandon, Man.....	Oct. 3, 1933
Robert Francis Green.....	Victoria, B.C.....	Oct. 3, 1933
John Rae	Edmonton, Alta.....	Oct. 3, 1933
George Moore	Calgary, Alta.....	Oct. 3, 1933
John James Davis, M.D.....	Gananoque, Ont.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Karl Bidwell Conger.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1934
Frank Arthur Jones, D.Paed.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1934
Ralph Crossley Ripley.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Percy Thomas Ward.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Alexander George Storie.....	Oshawa, Ont.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Rt. Rev. Lewis Wilmot Bovell Broughall, D.D.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 3, 1935
Charles Richard Sayer,.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Sept. 3, 1935
William Henry Hedges.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 6, 1936
William Arthur Drummond.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 6, 1936
Rev. Alexander Dawson Matheson, M.A., D.D.	Quebec, Que.	Oct. 6, 1936
Arthur Cross.....	Montreal, Que.....	Oct. 6, 1936
Richard Thomas Stanley.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 6, 1936
William Henry Rath.....	London, Ont.....	Oct. 6, 1936
Alfred Sear.....	Fort William, Ont.....	Oct. 6, 1936
John Lachlan McKinnon.....	Saskatoon, Sask.....	Oct. 6, 1936
Thomas Lees.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937
Augustine Vila.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937
William Field.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937
Arthur Beaton Whytock.....	Niagara Falls, Ont. Oct.	5, 1937
George Cleveland Derby.....	Vancouver, B.C.....	Oct. 5, 1937
George Melbourne Brock.....	St. Catharines, Ont. Oct.	4, 1938
Hugh MacDonald Dunlop.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1938

Name	Residence	Received 33°
Arthur Disraeli Lumsden.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 4, 1938
John Ewen Riddell, Jr.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 4, 1938
Edwin Campbell Scythes.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 4, 1938
James Wilfred Estey.....	Saskatoon, Sask.....	Oct. 4, 1938
Rev. Dr. George A. Woodside.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Oct. 4, 1938
Richard Angus.....	Oak Bay, B.C.....	Oct. 4, 1938
Cecil Morden Dent.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Charles Rosendale Brown.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Francis William Sprules.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Nicholas Flood Davin Kelley.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Ernest George Hart.....	Oshawa, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Frederick Dixon Hubbell.....	Windsor, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— George Frederick Kingsmill.....	London, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— William McKenzie Messer.....	London, Ont.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Franklin George Webber.....	Montreal, Que.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Alexander Hurry.....	Westmount, Que.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— William Hunter Harling.....	Montreal, Que.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Andrew George Cowan.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— William McLellan.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Norman John Black.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Robert Fletcher Argue.....	Winnipeg, Man.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— Walter Hall Ross.....	Regina, Sask.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— William Melville Peel.....	Calgary, Alta.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— William Ralph Wilson.....	Edmonton, Alta.....	Sept. 12, 1939
— William James Dunlop.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
✓ — Charles Herbert Cunningham.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— Hanlan Robinson.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— William Henry Cooper.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— Ernest Moule.....	Brantford, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— Arthur Russell Graham.....	Windsor, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— John Clark Reilly.....	Ottawa, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— William John Gibson.....	Kingston, Ont.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— Lorris Elijah Borden.....	Nelson, B.C.....	Oct. 1, 1940
— George Livingstone Cassady.....	New Westminster, B.C.....	Oct. 7, 1941
✓ — Ernest Burdette Thompson.....	Hamilton, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— Alexander Coulson Adams.....	Fort William, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— George James Russell Stephens.....	Guelph, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— Henry Stark Tapscott.....	Brantford, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— David Bertram Nugent.....	Ottawa, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— William Douglas Brown.....	Fort Erie, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— Norman Duncan Buchanan.....	Peterborough, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— Harry Minchinton.....	Toronto, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941
— Archibald Henry McQuarrie.....	Windsor, Ont.....	Oct. 7, 1941

Name	Residence	Received 33°
Harold Edward Johnston.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.....	Oct. 7, 1941
Alexander Roland Smith.....	Vernon, B.C.....	Oct. 7, 1941
Walter Barrett Scott.....	Regina, Sask.....	Oct. 7, 1941
Richard Coulton Berkinshaw.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
Robert John A. Curry.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
John Harold Cuddie	Windsor, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
Glenn Laverne Facey	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
James Watts Hamilton	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
Charles Hammond Martin	Simcoe, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
Arthur Lorne Reid	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
William Robert Simpson	Steveston, B.C.	Oct. 6, 1942

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P.: Sovereign Grand Commander, Supreme Council for
England, Wales, etc., Grand Master of Ireland, etc., etc.

Melvin Maynard Johnson, M.: P.: Sovereign Grand Com-
mander, Supreme Council for the Northern Jurisdiction,
U.S.A.

Honourable Justice Gerald FitzGibbon, Most Puissant Sove-
reign Grand Commander, Supreme Council for Ireland.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Stair, K.T., D.S.O.,
Sovereign Grand Commander, Supreme Council of Scot-
land.

Subordinate Bodies under the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Council

CONSISTORIES

Name	Where Situated	Com.-in-Chief	Grand Secretary	Address of Grand Secretary
Moore..... Montreal.....	Hamilton, Ont..... Montreal, Que.....	Hugh M. Dunlop..... William Carswell.....	E. B. Thompson..... S. B. Wickes.....	4 Queen Street South. 36 Merton Crescent, Hampstead, Que. Box 1161.
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CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

Name	Where Situated	M.W. Sov.	Registrar	Address of Registrar
Hamilton.....	Hamilton, Ont.	J. H. Moore	William Field	76 Stanley Avenue.
London.....	London, Ont.	W. E. Holland	W. J. Bradley	Room 3, 428 Richmond St.
Toronto.....	Toronto, Ont.	G. A. Martin	Ernest J. Call	360 Adelaide St. W.
Rose of Sharon	Kingston, Ont.	H. G. Cooke	William Peters	24 Garrett Street
Spry.....	Barrie, Ont.	T. J. Williams	G. O. Cameron	Box 1031.
Murray.....	Ottawa, Ont.	G. T. Green	E. J. McCleery	23 Fourth Avenue.
Hochelaga.....	Montreal, Que.	D. Grant Campbell	R. W. Louthood	545 Grosvenor Ave., Westmount
Quebec.....	Quebec, Que.	F. W. Martin	T. H. Banks	269 Fraser Street.
Harington.....	Saint John, N.B.	N. J. Cabeldu	H. Russell Sturdee	Box 1161.
Keith.....	Halifax, N.S.	H. S. Hamilton	James C. Jones	Freemason's Hall.
Bethesda.....	Winnipeg, Man.	N. M. Hall	Wm. Shenton	722 Toronto General Trusts Bldg.
Vancouver.....	Vancouver, B.C.	F. Sangster	J. R. V. Dunlop	1007 Royal Bank Bldg., 675 W. Hastings Street.
Mizpah.....	Edmonton, Alta.	R. G. Thomson	M. J. Macleod	10318-100th Avenue.
Guelph.....	Guelph, Ont.	R. Keegan	Alex. Jaffray	54 Preston Street.
Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	E. Carey	J. M. Biscoomb	751 Wellington St. E.
Regina.....	Regina, Sask.	Robt. A. Tate	A. D. Carrothers	2128 Cornwall St.
Nanna-Bijou.....	Fort William, Ont.	C. E. Coombes	David C. Burrows	1404 Ridgeway St.
Windsor.....	Windsor, Ont.	M. D. MacPhail	J. H. Cuddie	1251 Chilver Road
Delta.....	Calgary, Alta.	Robt. Donaldson	George Moore	3206 Vercheres Street.
Victoria.....	Victoria, B.C.	Arnold W. Trevett	C. Nickerson	1262 Hampshire Road
Brandon.....	Brandon, Man.	W. C. Shuker	G. W. Harrup	350—21st Street.
Peterborough.....	Peterborough, Ont.	G. D. Carlisle	G. W. Haley	85 Benson Avenue
Saskatoon.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	S. R. Laycock	Leroy Holmes	Box 1262.
North Bay.....	North Bay, Ont.	E. A. Tilley	C. F. Brown	150 First Ave. E.
Alexander Sheppard	Moose Jaw, Sask.	J. C. MacDonald	C. W. Crichton	1144 Chestnut Ave.

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Name	Where Situated	T.:P.:G.:M.:	Grand Secretary	Address of Grand Secretary
Murton	Hamilton, Ont.	Geo. T. Britton	G. L. Facey	400 Gage Ave. N.
London	London, Ont.	E. H. Hannah	W. J. Bradley	Room 3, 428 Richmond St.
Toronto	Toronto, Ont.	N. F. D. Kelley	Ernest J. Call	360 Adelaide St. W.
Kingston	Kingston, Ont.	A. D. McConnell	William Peters	24 Garrett Street.
Royal City	Guelph, Ont.	D. McKerchar	Alex. Jaffray	54 Preston Street.
Barrie	Barrie, Ont.	Compton Jeffs	A. W. Smith	Box 134.
Ottawa	Ottawa, Ont.	H. L. Carson	E. J. McCleery	23 Fourth Avenue.
Hochelaga	Montreal, Que.	B. V. Atkinson	A. G. Cushing	3227 Cedar Ave., Westmount, Que.
Quebec	Quebec, Que.	W. E. Reed	T. H. Banks	269 Fraser Street.
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Winnipeg	Winnipeg, Man.	H. R. M. Thompson	Wm. Shenton	722 Toronto General Trusts Bldg.
Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.	H. J. Watson	J. R. V. Dunlop	1007 Royal Bank Bldg., 675 W. Hastings St.
Albert Edward	Summerside, P.E.I.	Donald Baker	G. M. Muttart	P.O. Box 463.
Edmonton	Edmonton, Alta.	F. N. Lett	M. J. Macleod	10318-100th Avenue.
Regina	Regina, Sask	David D. Low	A. D. Carrothers	2128 Cornwall St.
Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	Geo. D. Pyette	A. W. Lomas	Queen Street East.
Windsor	Windsor, Ont.	C. D. Sulman	J. H. Cuddie	1251 Chilver Rd.
Superior	Fort William, Ont.	Otto Clarke	David C. Burrows	1404 Ridgeway St.
Calgary	Calgary, Alta.	Geo. F. Ritchie	George Moore	3206 Vercheres Street.
Saskatoon	Saskatoon, Sask.	F. B. Williams	Dr. A. P. Salter	Box 1224.
Victoria	Victoria, B.C.	F. W. H. Gielma	C. Nickerson	1262 Hampshire Road
Brandon	Brandon, Man.	A. M. Brown	G. W. Harrup	350—21st St.
Moose Jaw	Moose Jaw, Sask.	R. Mayes	C. W. Crichton	1144 Chestnut Ave.
Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont.	H. R. Scott	G. W. Haley	85 Benson Avenue.
Elgin	Niagara Falls, Ont.	A. F. Payne	John Black	880 Willmott St.
North Bay	North Bay, Ont.	T. M. Palmer	Floyd L. Irwin	704 Hoover Street.
Kootenay	Nelson, B.C.	G. C. Arneson	W. E. Megaw	Box 759, Vernon, B.C.
Okanagan	Vernon, B.C.	Geo. E. Brown		

Statement showing the number of G. E. P. S. Masons made in the different Valleys of the Jurisdiction Since 1897, when Article 16 of the Statutes and Regulations was enacted

	1888	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942
Hamilton, Ont.....	933	198	66	126	205	116	105	148	87	65	66	76	49	43	20	17	21	13	35	31	45	28	30	41	
London, Ont.....	604	79	143	111	87	70	20	36	14	25	9	17	5	11	5	3	5	11	3	8	15	5	6	11	
Toronto, Ont.....	715	158	135	118	107	88	98	82	91	57	72	55	34	16	13	5	13	6	7	35	15	25	30	30	
Kingston, Ont.....	106	30	26	23	16	23	13	1	18	12	6	17	10	18	5	10	3	6	4	13	10	9	5	5	
Guelph, Ont.....	237	15	41	44	37	26	36	37	27	48	32	35	14	11	12	19	9	8	11	11	13	9	8	11	
Barrie, Ont.....	299	94	192	124	136	124	58	104	60	42	38	42	32	12	9	6	6	7	14	5	8	15	11	9	
Ottawa, Ont.....	581	79	97	64	51	35	22	26	20	25	18	18	22	17	18	10	9	11	6	12	16	12	9	7	
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont..	117	12	10	10	13	20	4	18	11	5	5	6	0	6	0	5	0	2	0	3	2	0	1	3	
Windsor, Ont.....	179	123	156	77	28	60	35	46	55	35	29	11	7	9	8	6	3	1	0	2	10	3	8	6	
Fort William, Ont.....	68	43	23	16	20	20	18	16	27	15	16	16	8	7	0	8	17	10	6	12	15	10	7	36	
Peterborough, Ont.....						41	30	23	25	20	22	16	13	8	6	4	3	8	0	18	11	11	3	7	
Niagara Falls, Ont.....						90	47	12	23	18	8	30	13	24	17	2	5	10	5	8	8	8	14	0	
North Bay, Ont.....										57	73	44	27	11	14	4	0	0	0	0	0	26	1	0	
Montreal Que.....	225	36	18	35	15	22	20	19	23	28	25	31	24	26	19	21	12	14	16	18	14	15	10	18	
Quebec Que.....	43	4	2	3	10	2	3	6	3	3	5	3	3	4	6	4	2	2	2	2	5	3	1	2	
Saint John N.B.....	129	24	15	10	12	19	21	8	25	10	14	0	23	5	13	4	13	7	3	6	12	3	3	18	
Halifax N.S.....	186	35	22	18	13	15	7	20	20	18	7	16	6	14	8	12	7	16	8	9	2	16	12	12	
Summerside, P.E.I.....	47	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	9	3	8	5	1	2	1	3	0	3	2	3	2	8	3	
Winnipeg, Man.....	591	44	105	27	30	31	24	13	26	9	20	30	19	11	4	6	12	9	14	11	14	54	16	16	
Brandon, Man.....				25	20	17	18	6	12	9	12	13	6	7	0	3	2	6	2	2	5	0	3	2	
Vancouver, B.C.....	339	38	96	17	11	16	25	17	25	24	16	24	20	9	10	13	3	6	2	3	4	0	7	10	
Victoria, B.C.....			22	40	17	15	18	17	19	12	7	4	11	6	3	7	3	5	2	2	4	2	6	9	
Nelson, B.C.....										16	18	1	5	0	2	14	2	8	0	4	2	3	1	5	
Vernon, B.C.....											14	13	5	0	6	4	2	12	2	5	7	2	5	10	
Edmonton, Alta.....	169	36	22	10	11	11	9	13	25	19	22	28	15	19	18	8	12	3	10	13	10	12	9	19	
Calgary, Alta.....	7	31	22	25	28	57	27	24	21	33	17	18	6	14	7	9	9	18	4	8	6	16	8	15	
Regina, Sask.....	271	40	18	23	11	13	23	10	28	31	25	19	7	7	0	17	8	9	12	6	5	0	28	12	
Saskatoon, Sask.....		22	17	14	22	7	12	8	11	4	12	19	12	7	2	1	4	4	7	10	5	10	12	10	
Moose Jaw, Sask.....				18	21	9	13	16	11	13	18	10	0	7	0	6	0	0	7	0	1	7	8	7	

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*Hugh Alexander Mackay	*John De Wolfe Chipman
*John Valentine Ellis	*Charles Wells Hagar
*David Ransom Munro	*Benjamin Allen
*James Domville	*Elias Talbot Malone
*James Kirkpatrick Kerr	*Daniel Fraser MacWatt
*Hugh William Chisholm	*Alexander Stephen
*William James Bury Mac-	*John McKechnie
leod Moore	*Roderick MacNeill
*William Reid	*William Brown McArthur
*William Henry Hutton	*William Gibson
*Eugene Mortimer Copeland	*William George Eakins
*Isaac Henry Stearns	*Sydney Albert Luke
*Benjamin Lester Peters	*Joseph Richard Seymour
*Robert Thomas Clinch	*William Marshall Black
*Hugh Murray	*Donald Darrach
*William Benjamin Simpson	*Thomas Lees
*Charles Napier Bell	*James Glanville
*Daniel Spry	*Frederick Justus Howell
*Francis Partridge	Alexander McDougall
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*Frederick Joseph Menet	*Alfred Frederick Webster
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*Angus William Hooper	James Henry Winfield
*James Frederick Walker	Lewis Frederick Riggs
*William Henry Thorne	Edward Ainslie Braithwaite
*John James Mason	*Alexander Shepphard
*Albert Daniel Nelson	*Frank Charters
*Dead	

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